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THE GEO. H. MELLEN CO.,

Illustrated Catalogue of

BULBS, ROSES AND PLANTS

For WINTER AND SPRING BLOOMING, AND FRUITS FOR FALL PLANTING.

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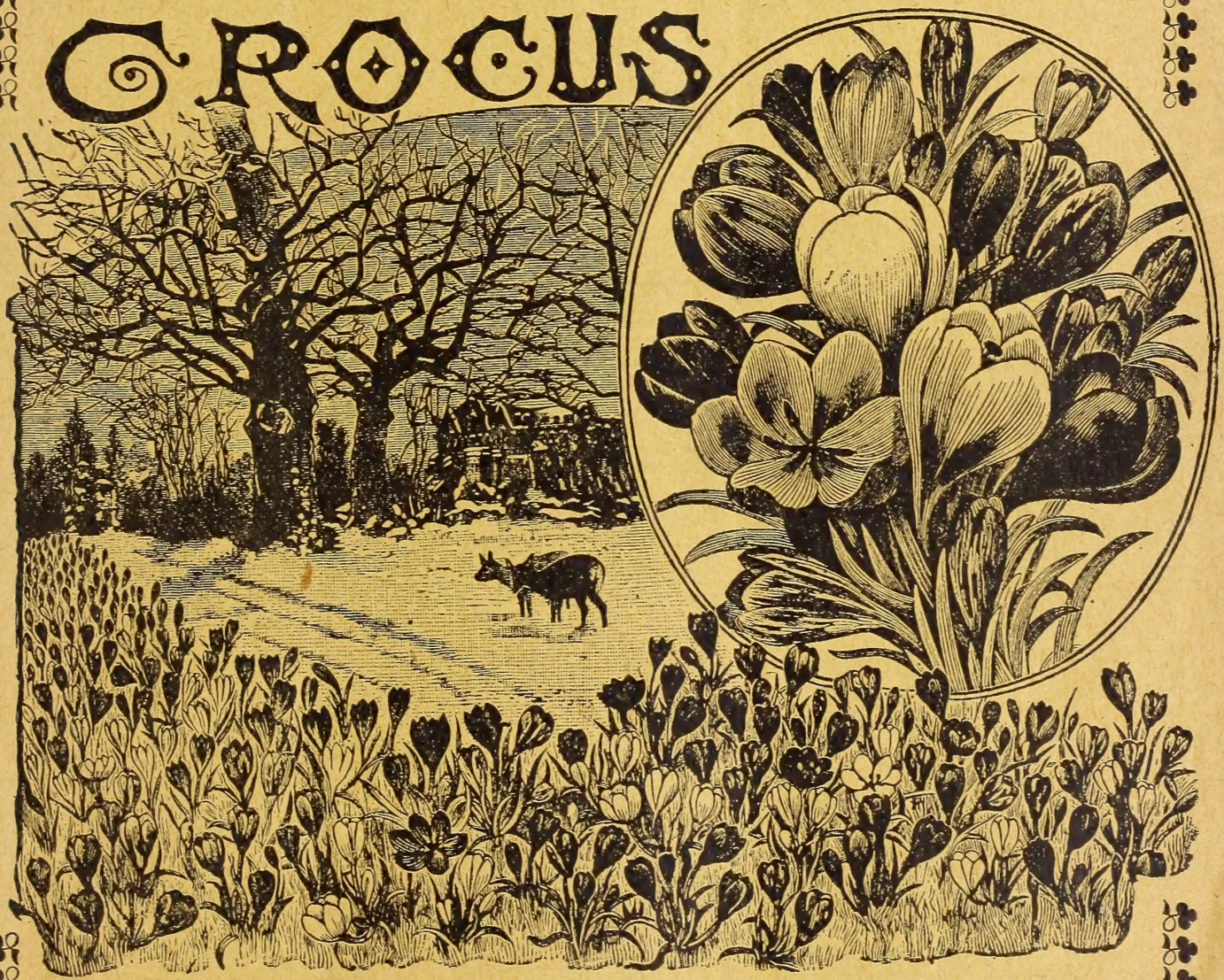

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For Winter and early Spring flowering nothing surpasses the Hyacinth. It is sure to bloom and give satisfaction in the house during Winter, or in the garden in early Spring. Its large spikes resemble nothing else in cultivation. Rather than offer a long, confusing list of varieties, we have carefully selected 12 each of Singles and Doubles, embracing all the shades of this beautiful flower, each one being the largest, strongest and best of its color.

First Class Selected Bulbs

All single Hyacinths succeed well in glasses and when forced

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12 Best Named Single Hyacinths.

Alba Superbissima—Pure white, very large, compact spike; fine for early forcing.

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Grand Maitre—Deep porcelain blue; very large truss and bulb.

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Five hundred questions on practical Floriculture answered and topics discussed. A Practical Book written in the form of questions and answers on the cultivation and care of indoor and outdoor plants and flowers. Nothing like it published. Every lady in the land should have it. It is a mine of condensed and accurate information on Flower culture.

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Dark Blue	6 "	60 "	4.75
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These Mixed Hyacinths are used almost exclusively for bedding out in the Fall, on account of their cheapness. They are just as good colors and just as fragrant as the named varieties; the difference is in the cost of keeping the named sorts separate, both while planting and after they are dug. The exact shades cannot be given, but the general outline of colors are kept separate, so that in ordering you know what color you are buying.

Just think of a dozen good Hyacinths for only 60 cents, postpaid.

DOUBLE HYACINTHS.

12 Best Named Double Hyacinths.

Price, 10c each; any 6 for 50c; full set of 12 for $1.00.

Bouquet Tendre—Tall stems and compact truss; beautifully shaped florets of tender rose.

Bloksberg—Clear porcelain blue, slightly marbled; extra large bells.

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In this collection of 20 bulbs we have chosen one each of the most distinct colors of this beautiful flower; this will give a grand effect when massed in a bed, and will show all the colors in striking contrast. The collection will consist of 10 Single and 10 Double Hyacinths, in following named order.

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One Double Pink.	One Double Light Blue, or Porcelain.	One Single Rose.	One Single Blue, or Porcelain.	One Single Blush.
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One Double Pure White.		One Single Yellow.		

WE WILL SEND THE "RAINBOW COLLECTION" FOR $1.25.

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An Unrivaled Winter Flowering Pot Plant of the Easiest Culture. Succeeding with Everybody.

This is one of the finest Winter-flowering plants for pot culture that we have ever seen; it is such a strong, luxuriant grower that one bulb will be sufficient for a 7 or 8-inch pot. Place in a dark, cool position for a few weeks to root thoroughly, and remove to a sunny situation in the window, and the great uninterrupted profusion of bloom, produced for weeks, will astonish and delight you. The flowers are of the purest buttercup-yellow. When grown in a partially shaded situation the flowers remain open all the time. Properly treated, the plant will flower in six weeks from the time the bulbs are planted. **Price, 5c each; 50c per dozen.**

OTHER OXALIS.

Oxalis Cernua—Very large yellow flowers, in clusters, an extra sort. **Price, 3c each; 30c doz.**

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Mixed Oxalis—Containing a large number of varieties. **Price, 3 for 5c; 15c doz.; $1.00 per 100.**

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Tulips are the most satisfactory bulbs that one can grow. If you have only a few square feet to devote to flowers and a limited amount to expend, you could do no better than to use it for Tulips. . . . . .

SIX RARE DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

The most of these are new and all are scarce. They come recommended by our growers as being ESPECIALLY FINE and of EXTRAORDINARY MERIT. They command the highest prices in Holland.

Price, 5 Cents Each. Set of Six for 25 Cents.

Alba Maxima—Pure white.
Couronne d'Or—Deep yellow, marked with orange red. Fine for forcing.
Duke of Bordeau—Orange, bordered with yellow.
Rose la Montague—Beautiful deep rose, shaded white. Excellent for forcing.
Imperator Rubrorum—Large, bright scarlet.
Murillo—Delicate blush pink; rare.

Late or May Flowering "Decoration Day" Garden Tulips

This group of late or May flowering Garden Tulips generally are in full flush of bloom about Decoration Day. They differ from the early Single Tulips by their taller growth and later bloom; planted in conjunction with the early Tulips, a gorgeous display of bloom can be enjoyed until late in May. They are brilliant in the extreme for bedding purposes. Their flowers are very large, symmetrically formed, and their magnificent colors, with interesting and delicate featherings and markings, make a sight not soon to be forgotten, particularly when bedded out in quantity. They are very hardy, and do well through all sorts of weather.

Bizarres—Have a yellow ground color, feathered or striped with crimson, purple or white. **Price, finest mixed, 2c each; 3 for 5c; 20c per dozen.**

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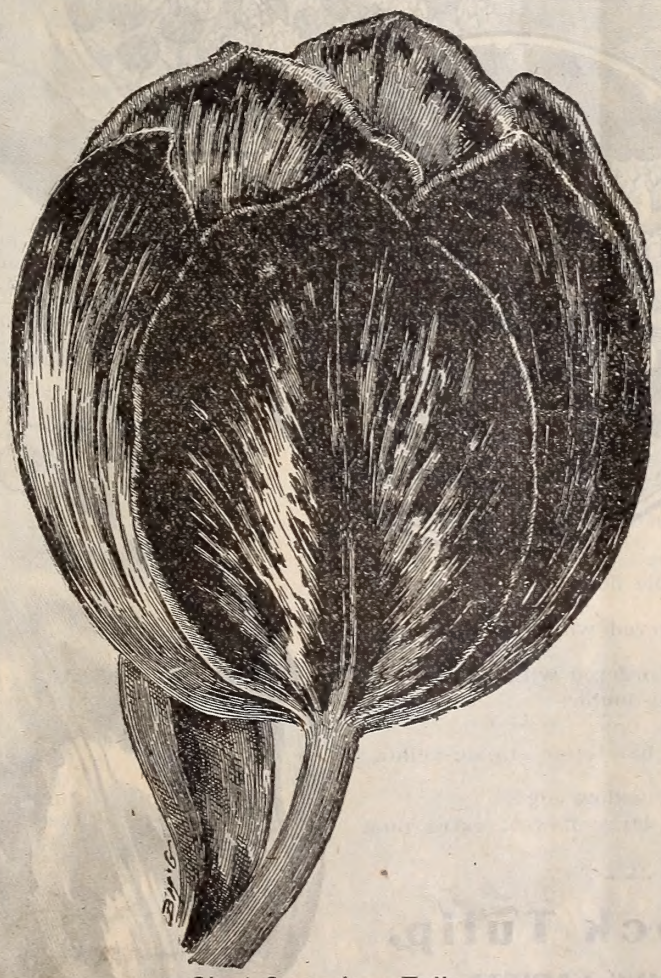
Parrot Tulips—The most beautiful and interesting class of Tulips, which should be in every garden. The flowers are large and perfect in shape, the petals are corrugated and toothed, while the color is the most striking combination of crimson and golden-yellow, streaked and edged with green, resembling the plumage of a parrot. **Fine Mixed Parrots, all colors. Price, 25c per dozen; $1.75 per 100.**

Bouton d'Or—Deep golden-yellow, graceful form, beautiful flower; invaluable for out-door cutting. **Price, 4c each; 40c per dozen.**

Blue Flag—A superb late double blue tulip. **Price, 3c each; 6 for 15c.**

Yellow Rose—Splendid golden-yellow, very large double flower. The best of the late yellow Tulips; extra fine. **Price, 3c each; 25c per dozen.**



Giant Gesneriana Tulip.

Gesneriana—The grandest Tulip in existence. Tall growing and late blooming, with large, long leaves and tall, erect flower stalks, which support great waxen blooms larger than teacups of the most vivid, glossy coral-red, each flower showing a deep blue-black blotch at the base that further enhances its beauty. They remain in bloom a long time, and clumps of this grand flower are particularly fine planted among evergreens or shrubbery, lighting up their sombre background as with a flaming torch. **Price, 4c each; 12 for 40c.**

Golden Crown—(Yellow Gesneriana.) Exactly like the above, except its grand blossoms are of a fine yellow color, banded with orange. Forms a superb contrast with the scarlet Gesneriana. **Price, 3c each; 12 for 30c.**

Maiden's Blush or Picotee—Large flowers of purest white, distinctly edged with clear pink; very dainty. **Price, 4c each; 6 for 20c.**

Marriage de ma Fille—Crimson and white, flaked and striped; late, double. **Price, 3c each; 6 for 15c.**

Parrot.

Bizarre.

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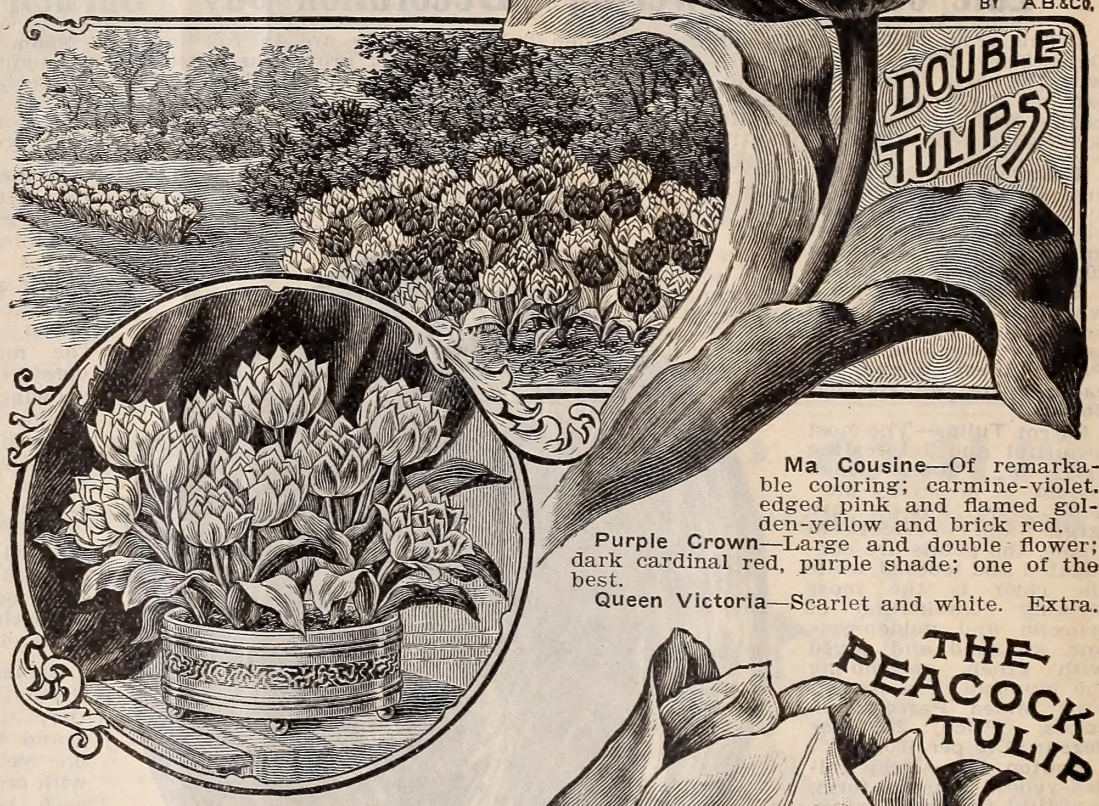
TULIPS.

Choice Double Early Flowering Tulips.

Price, 3 cents each; any ten for 25 cents, or one each of the twenty sorts for 45 cents.

Agnes—A very brilliant, lively red.
Count of Leicester—Orange and yellow feathered.
Duke of York—Beautifully incurved flowers of poppy red, broadly edged white.
Gloria Solus—Of enormous size and very double. Bright scarlet, edged yellow.
Duc van Tholl—Beautifully variegated red and yellow.
Le Blason—White, tinged rose.
Lady Grandison—Dwarf, vermilion scarlet. Extra fine and good bedder.
La Candeur—Large and double. Wax-like, white, outer petals feathered green; largely used for cemetery planting.
Le Matador—A fine scarlet.



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Purple Crown—Large and double flower; dark cardinal red, purple shade; one of the best.
Queen Victoria—Scarlet and white. Extra.

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Scarlet King—Scarlet; very fine.
Tournesol—(Yellow.) Very handsome orange-yellow; superb flowers.
Velvet Gem—Deep crimson, yellow edge.
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The Peacock Tulip.

A LATE FLOWERING VARIETY.

Oculis Solis—(Sun's Eye.) A late flowering variety. A remarkable flower indeed, attracting a great deal of admiration. Color, intense dazzling scarlet; the many bands of yellow, black, purple and gold have called forth such exclamations as "Brilliant as the Sun," "Beautiful as the Peacock," eac. **Price, 6c each; 60c per dozen.**

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Price, 3 cents each; any ten for 25 cents, or one each of the twenty sorts for 45 cents.

Adelaine—Dark, rich violet; extra fine.
Artus—Bronzy-red; very fine.
Belle Alliance—(Waterloo.) Scarlet; extra.
Brutus—Dark, blackish scarlet; large yellow base; well formed.
Yellow Prince—Fine yellow; extra large.
Chrysolora—Pure yellow; large flower, perfect form.
Cottage Maid—(La Precieuse.) Fine rosy, extra.
Duc van Tholl—Very dark red; fine flower.
Crimson King—Glowing scarlet; very fine.
Duchess de Parma—Orange red, with broad yellow band.
Joost van Vondel—Violet-red, white shaded; very fine large flower; extra.
Keiserskroon—Red, with broad yellow margin; very large flower; extra.
Le Reine—(Queen Victoria.) White and rosy; very handsome.
L'Imaculee—Pure white flower; extra.
Pottebakker—Pure white; very fine.
Potter—Rich violet, shading to lilac.
Leonarde de Vinci—Brilliant orange.
Samson—A very bright scarlet.
White Swan—Creamy-white.
Standard Royal—White and streaked cerise.

MIXED TULIPS

(Superfine.)

We have a large stock of unnamed Tulips for bedding, which we price so low as to make a large mass of these showy flowers a matter of trifling expense. They are excellent bulbs, and will bear handsome blooms. Double and Single collections are kept separate. Several hundred bulbs at the quotations below involve less expense than is required to secure a few Summer bedding plants, and in the matter of display they are fully as valuable during their season as an equal number of ordinary blooming plants.

Superfine Mixture Single Tulips—In 50 choicest kinds, splendid flowers. **Price, 25c per dozen; $1.75 per hundred.**

Superfine Mixture Double Tulips—In 50 choicest kinds, splendid flowers. **Price, 25c per dozen; $1.75 per hundred.**

Customers in Canada must send us Ten Cents additional for each dollar, as postage is double U. S. rates.

NARCISSUS, or DAFFODILS

The Flower of the Poets

Appearing as they do, just after bleak Winter, they turn our gardens, lawns and woodland walks into gorgeous masses of gold and silver, with a fragrance that is enchanting. They are all of the earliest culture, perfectly hardy, and can be grown in any light garden soil. When grown as pot plants in the house they can be brought into bloom at Christmas, and by planting at different times, will bloom continually from December till April. We offer the most distinct and valuable varieties, both for pots and the open garden.

Polyanthus Narcissus

These are considered the best of all Narcissus for pot culture, and by many esteemed the most beautiful. By starting the dry bulbs at intervals from September until January, a succession of flowers can be secured from Christmas until the first of May. Treat as you would Hyacinths. The flowers are borne in large clusters and are exceedingly fragrant, like the largest and very finest orange blossoms.

Grand Monarque—Crown a lovely primrose shade, a very effective flower. **Price, 5c each; 50c per dozen.**

Grand Soliel d'Or—A charming rich yellow flower with deep reddish cup. Thousands of this variety are grown in Scilly Isles for sale in the London market. **Price, 5c each; 50c per dozen.**

Early Double Roman

A splendid sort. Good grower, with tall stems and fine clusters of extra large flowers. Outer petals creamy-white. Center of flowers filled with small white and deep orange petals, while the whole flower is so sweet that one cluster will perfume a whole room. **Price, 5c each; 6 for 25c.**

Sulphur (or Silver) Phoenix

"Codlins and Cream." Large, creamy-white flowers, with sulphur nectary. Exquisite corsage flower, and fine for growing in pots. **Price, 5c each; 12 for 50c.**

The True Poet's Daffodils

Narcissus with Miniature Saucer-Shaped Cup.

Ornatus—The improved "Poeticus," large, beautifully formed, pure white flowers, with saffron cup, tinged with rosy-scarlet. A magnificent cut flower. Very early. **Price, 3c each; 30c per dozen.**

Poeticus—The "Pheasant's Eye," or "Poet's Narcissus," pure white flowers with orange cup, edged with crimson. Splendid cut flower. **Price, 4 for 10 cents; 25 cents per dozen.**

Alba Stella—One of the first in flower and wonderfully free-blooming. White, star-shaped flowers three inches across, with bright yellow cups; very beautiful and one of the most popular forcing and cutting varieties. **Price, 4 for 10c; 25c per dozen.**

Empress—Perianth snow-white, trumpet rich yellow, serrated and flanged at the edges, large in outline, and of rare beauty for cutting. **Price, 5c each; 6 for 25c.**

Golden Spur—Large, spreading full, deep yellow perianth; trumpet golden-yellow. A charming, richly perfumed flower, and one of the very best of the Golden Trumpets. In favorable situations the flower stalks attain a height of two feet. **Price, 5c each; 6 for 25c.**

Trumpet Major

Flower large and almost of a uniform deep golden. Highly prized as an early forcing sort and largely planted for outside bedding. **Price, 4c each; 40c per dozen.**

Ajax Princeps

Very early. This is one of the most popular Winter-flowering and forcing varieties grown. Flowers large, perianth sulphur, with an immense rich yellow trumpet. **Price, 4c each; 40c per dozen.**

Double Von Sion Daffodil

The grand old-fashioned double yellow Daffodil—extra fine for cutting. Single, star-like perianth, and long, double trumpet filled with beautifully crimped petals. Deep golden, very hardy outside and blooms freely in pots in the house. Everybody should plant this one, sure to bloom anywhere and everywhere. **Price, 4 cents each; 40 cents per dozen.**

Double Narcissus or Daffodils

Plena Odorata—"The double white Poet's Narcissus or Gardenia Flowered Daffodil." Double snow-white Gardenia-like flowers, exquisitely scented. **Price, 2 for 5c; 25c per dozen.**

Incomparable fl. pl.—"Butter and Eggs. Full double flowers of rich yellow, with orange nectary, splendid variety for either forcing for Winter cut flowers or for open ground planting. **Price, 3 for 10c; 25c per dozen.**

Orange Phoenix—"Eggs and Bacon." Beautiful double white flowers, with orange nectary. Splendid for pot culture and cutting or garden decoration. **Price, 4c each; 40c per dozen.**

Hoop Petticoat—Narcissus

Bulbocodium (Hoop Petticoat)—A great oddity, nearly all trumpet, which flares in such a manner as to suggest the name. Each bulb bears several flowers and a pot containing several bulbs is a pretty sight. Bright yellow. **Price, 8c each; 75c per dozen.**

Narcissus, Paper White Grandiflora.

This is the earliest of all, blooming by Christmas, and with its long-stemmed clusters of starry-white flowers—much larger than the old variety—is indeed most beautiful. Very fragrant also. **Price, 4c each; 6 for 20c.**

Narcissus Jonquilla, or Jonquils.

Much prized for their charming golden and deliciously sweet-scented flowers, perfectly hardy, and flowering very early in the Spring; they are also admirably adapted for Winter forcing.

Single Jonquil—The well-known favorite, delicately scented and beautiful for forcing. Rich yellow, very fragrant. **Price, 2 for 5c; 20c per dozen.**

Double Jonquil—Heads of small but very double deep golden-yellow flowers, powerfully scented and good for forcing. **Price, 4c each; 40c per dozen.**

Campernelle—Large, six-lobed yellow flowers, four to six on a stem, fine for forcing, and the one generally preferred by florists. **Price, 3 for 10c; 25c per doz.**

Chinese Sacred Lily.

Oriental Narcissus, or "Joss Flower."

The most satisfactory of all Winter-blooming bulbs. No home should be without one. Nothing is easier cared for or gives as great an abundance of deliciously scented bloom. It is grown by the Chinese to herald the coming of their New Year, and as a symbol of good luck. While the bulb can be grown in a pot, the most novel and beautiful way is to grow it in a shallow bowl of water with enough pebbles to prevent it from toppling over when the immense spikes of flowers are developed. Keep in a moderately cool place. The short time required to bring the bulbs into full bloom—four or six weeks after planting—and the fact that it can be grown everywhere and by everybody, is certain to secure a permanent popularity for the "Sacred Lily." Our bulbs will not arrive from China until October 1st, but orders will be booked for them. **Price, extra sized bulbs, 15c each; 2 for 25c.**

GOLDEN SACRED LILY

Narcissus Campernelle Rugulosus.

The flowers of this beautiful Sacred Lily are almost identical with the Chinese variety, except that they are of the most lovely shade of deep golden-yellow, making a fine contrast with the white bloom of that noted kind. The bulbs are not nearly so large, but the trusses of flowers are of good size. **Price 5c each; 6 for 25c.**

Chinese Sacred Lily.

HARDY LILIES

ORDERS FOR LILIES (EXCEPT EASTER LILIES) CANNOT BE FILLED BEFORE NOVEMBER.

LILIUM AURATUM.

The Golden-Rayed Lily—This grand Summer flowering sort is now considered the Queen of Lilies. It produces its handsome, richly-colored flowers in large clusters, as shown in the engraving, and blooms profusely from June to October. When expanded, the flowers measure from eight to ten inches in diameter and are composed of six pure white petals, each of which is distinctively striped the whole length with a clear yellow golden band and thickly studded with rich crimson spots. Gracefully formed, deliciously fragrant. Large, sound bulbs, imported direct from Japan. **Price, 20c each; 3 for 50c.**

SPECIOSUM MONSTROSUM ALBUM.

Among the showiest of all Lilies and perhaps the most robust and the most radiantly beautiful. Very fragrant and hardy, with broad, flat stems and immense heads of flowers, often fifty flowers in a cluster. No garden complete without some of them. **Price, 20c each; 3 for 50c.**

LILY SPECIOSUM RUBRUM.

This is one of the most popular and satisfactory of all Lilies and is considered by many as the finest of all Lilies. The flowers are bright crimson and white spotted. Splendid large flowers borne in clusters, stem two or three feet. **Price, 20c each; 3 for 50c.**

TIGRINUM, Fl. Pl.—DOUBLE TIGER LILY.

This magnificent Lily is borne in immense clusters on tall stems; the flowers are very large, frequently six inches across, and very double; color, deep, fiery red, spotted with black; any illustration gives but a faint idea of the showiness of this superb Lily. **Price, 10c each; 6 for 50c.**

LILY LONGIFLORUM.

(Bermuda grown.) Widely used for forcing for Easter holidays. Its flowers have more substance and last longer in bloom than the Bermuda Lily. Quite hardy and beautiful in the open ground, blooming in June and July. Flowers snow-white and trumpet-shaped; very fragrant. **Price, 15c each; 3 for 40c.**

TRUE BERMUDA EASTER LILY—LILIUM HARRISI.

Pure pearly-white, deliciously fragrant, and a remarkable profusion of bloom characterize this charming and celebrated Easter Lily. Without exception, it is one of the most valuable bulbs for Winter flowering in house. A profusion may be had from Christmas until Spring—with a dozen bulbs or more. Bulbs after flowering can be rested a couple of months by withholding water, and will then produce another crop. It is a magnificent variety for church decoration at Easter. **Price, strong bulbs, 15c each; 4 for 50c; large size, 25c each; 5 for $1.00.**

Bermuda Easter Lily.

Snowdrops.

GIANT SNOWDROPS

The Charming Snowdrop is the First of all Flowers to Herald the Approach of Spring

It can frequently be seen in bloom when the ground is white with snow, as it takes every advantage, and hastens to display its graceful snow-white bells before Winter has disappeared. In conjunction with Chionodoxa and Scilla, a matchless effect can be produced. As the bulbs are small, they should be planted liberally in order to obtain immediate results. Banks, grassy slopes, edging, or rock-work will suit all of these bulbs. They should not be disturbed often if a fine display is desired.

Single Snowdrop—Pure white, graceful bells; early flowering. **Price, 2c each; 20c per dozen.**

Double Snowdrop—(Galanthus Nivalis, fl. pl.) Flowers perfectly double, pure white. **Price, 3c each; 25c per dozen.**

Elwes' Giant Snowdrop — (Galanthus Elwesi.) The largest and most beautiful, flowers snow-white, with emerald-green tube. **Price, 3c each; 30c per dozen.**

Customers in Canada must send us Ten Cents additional for each Dollar, as Postage Rates are Double.

Freesias.

WINTER BLOOMING FREESIA

Refracta Alba.

The charming and novel blossoms of this popular flowering bulb are well shown in our illustration. For Winter blooming in the house it is probably today the most popular of all. It is sure to succeed and flower elegantly for any one in any situation. The perfume is delicious. There are six to eight flowers on a stem nine inches high, which are particularly valuable for cutting. Four to six bulbs can be planted in a five-inch pot. They commence growth immediately after planting and need not be put away to form roots like Hyacinths. Planting successively from September to November will give a succession of bloom through the Winter. We cannot too earnestly urge customers to plant this charming Winter flower. Pure white, with yellow-blotched throat; delicious fragrance. **Price, fine bulbs, 3 cents each; 12 for 25 cents; mammoth bulbs, 4 cents each; 10 for 25 cents.**

ORNATHOGALUM ARABICUM

(Arabian Star of Bethlehem.)

This is another bulb of comparatively recent introduction. It is one of the most magnificent Winter-blooming bulbs or plants; in fact, some consider that it excels all others. The bulb resembles that of a Hyacinth. Treat it just as you would a Hyacinth, not bringing it up to the light too soon, and it will reward you by throwing up a flower spike eighteen inches or even two feet in height, a great mass of pearly-white flowers, having a bright jet-black center. **Price, 5c each; six for 25 cents.**

Ixias and Sparaxis.

IXIAS

The graceful flower spikes of the Ixias remind one of Gladiolus; but the flowers are very distinct, being round and well opened. Their brilliant colors and vividly contrasting markings have made them quite popular. For pot culture, plant six in a five-inch pot and treat as Hyacinths. When in full bloom the display will be magnificent. For outdoor culture they should be planted in a somewhat sheltered situation, and protected with leaves or straw.

Mixed Sorts—Many varieties of rich shades and colors. **Price, 3c each; 25c per dozen.**

SPARAXIS

Resembles Ixias, but flowers are more drooping, opening flatly. Their combination of beautiful and unusual colors is fascinating. The individual flowers are very large, and the brilliant colors are striped and splashed in every imaginable manner. **Fine mixed, all colors, 3c each; 25c per dozen.**

IRIS

FLOWERING FLAG—FLEUR-DE-LIS.

Hardy Spring and Summer-blooming plants, bearing large, rich and various colored flowers. The tubers or bulbous-rooted kinds do not require a rich soil, but a sandy loam will suit them well. The English and Spanish varieties should be planted out in clumps where they may be seen to advantage. The crown of the bulb must not be more than three inches below the surface. From September to December will answer for planting. No garden should be without them, especially as they are valuable for cutting.

ENGLISH IRIS.

Our collection embraces a full range of color, from a very deep purple to a very pure white. **Price, 3c each; 30c per dozen.**

SPANISH IRIS.

This variety is well adapted for pot culture, blooming in the Winter earlier than the above, but smaller; beautiful shades of violet, yellow, blue and white. **Mixed varieties, 2c each; 20c per dozen.**

Iris—Flowering Flag.

If goods go by express, choose 30 cents' worth extra for each dollar you send us. Fruits and 50c Bulb Collections excepted.

Very beautiful flowers, the single varieties being most brilliant. They are not quite hardy; planted from October to November, they will bloom in the early Spring, but need covering with litter during Winter for protection. Can also be had in bloom in April in the house by having a few pots in a cool room. Prices include postage.

Anemone, Single—Mixed; brightest colors. **Price, 2c each; 20c per dozen.**

Anemone, Double—Mixed; best assortment of colors. **Price, 3c each; 25c per dozen.**

CHIONODOXA LUCILLAE.
(GLORY OF THE SNOW.)

We find these bulbs are becoming very popular, and deservedly so, for their lovely blue and white flowers, produced in long sprays, are seen in the garden among the earliest Spring flowers—sometimes even before the snow has disappeared. The bulbs are perfectly hardy and make a fine display when planted in masses outdoors. For window culture they are fully as charming as Freesias. They bloom very early, commonly by Christmas. Selected bulbs. **Price, 3c each; 25c per dozen.**

LILY OF THE VALLEY.

Ready in November. These beautiful, fairy-like Lilies delight all. Choose a partially shaded place in the garden and plant the roots about six inches apart and two inches deep. For winter blooming, pot in December, and place outside in a shady place; allow them to freeze once or twice, then bring into the house, where they can be forced into exquisite bloom in a short time. Extra select, large flowering bulbs, German grown, strictly first-class stock. **Price, 3c each; 30c per dozen.**

SCILLA SIBERICA.

The Siberian Scilla, or Squill, has flowers of a lovely ultra-marine blue color, borne in graceful spikes; in the house it blooms early, like the Roman Hyacinths, and forms a beautiful contrast with them. In the open ground they are quite hardy, and especially fine planted in small beds or with Snowdrops, and, like them, frequently blooming before the snow has gone. **Price, 2c each; 15c per dozen.**

RANUNCULUS—FAIR MAIDS OF FRANCE.

For beauty and grace of form, and brightness of colors, the Ranunculus is unsurpassed. These attractive qualities have made it a prime favorite. The Ranunculus requires careful culture, and is worthy of it. The plants should not be exposed to a hot, dry air, nor to a blazing sun. The soil should be rich and not too dry, and yet well drained. **Persian and Turkish mixed, 2c each; 20c per dozen.**

ALLIUM NEAPOLITANUM.

Allium Neapolitanum—Another excellent variety for Winter flowering, now extensively forced by florists for cut flowers, being of pure white with green stamens borne in large, loose umbels. Height, 15 to 18 inches. **Price, 5c each; 8 for 25c.**

Luteum—(Moly or Golden Allium.) One of the most showy border plants, perfectly hardy, bearing large, golden-yellow flowers in June. **Price, 3 for 10c; 25c per dozen.**

TRITELIA UNIFLORA.

A most valuable addition to Winter flowering bulbs for house culture. Several bulbs can be planted in a four or five-inch pot; each will send up numerous flower stalks, producing exquisite star-shaped blossoms; pure white, beautifully lined with azure-blue. The flowers follow each other successively, and a pot or basket of these bulbs presents a lovely blooming appearance all Winter. This variety is also entirely hardy; can be planted in open ground, blooming in Spring. **Fine bulbs, 3c each; 25c per dozen.**

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF CHOICE HOLLAND GROWN BULBS

Our experience shows that collections like these are growing in popularity, and we here present them in such shape as we believe will give the fullest measure of satisfaction and delight to the purchaser. We anticipate a large demand for these offers, and we have ordered an immense supply at prices that enables us to give you a large number of bulbs for the small price we ask.

COLLECTION "A"—60 Bulbs for Window Box, $1.00.

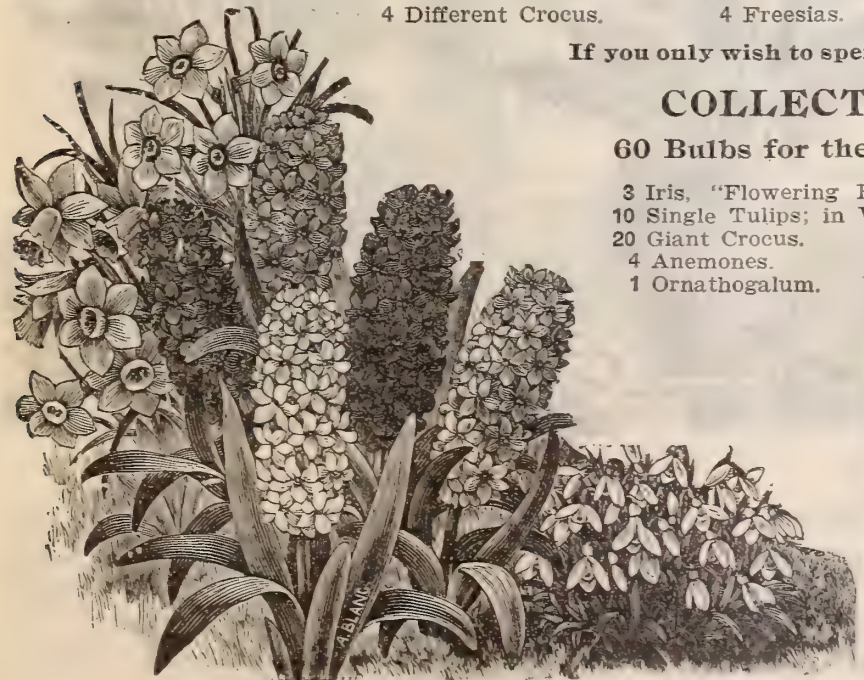
1 Beautiful Easter Lily. 4 Hyacinths, Double and Single, all different. 8 Tulips, Double and Single, in variety.
2 Narcissus, different. 18 Giant Crocus, all colors. 5 Allium Neapolitanum.
2 Sparaxis, many colored. 4 Tritelia Uniflora. 4 Oxalis.
6 Freesias, sweet-scented. 4 Ranunculus. 2 Ixias, dazzling colors.

This will make a magnificent show of blossoms, lasting many weeks. Try it—60 Bulbs for $1.00.

COLLECTION "D"—20 Bulbs for Only 25 Cents.

2 Large-flowering Hyacinths. 2 Beautiful Tulips. 2 Tritelia Uniflora. 2 Narcissus.
4 Different Crocus. 4 Freesias. 4 Snowdrops.

If you only wish to spend a quarter, try this.



COLLECTION "K"

60 Bulbs for the Garden, $1.00.

3 Iris, "Flowering Flag."
10 Single Tulips; in Variety.
20 Giant Crocus.
4 Anemones.
1 Ornathogalum.
6 Hyacinths; single, double; different.
10 Double Tulips; in variety.
1 Easter Lily.
3 Scilla Siberica.
2 Glory of the Snow.

This grand assortment of 60 Bulbs will make a garden spot the envy of your neighbors. . . . .

We assure You of Prompt and Liberal Treatment of Your Orders.

COLLECTION "F"

84 CHOICE BLOOMING BULBS FOR $1.25

SUITABLE FOR EITHER OUT-DOOR OR HOUSE CULTURE

All the Bulbs offered in this Collection, if planted with ordinary care, will bloom beautifully and furnish flowers from Christmas until Easter. Try them. It will repay you.

8 Hyacinths, four different colors.	20 Crocus, all colors.	4 Anemones.	4 Allium.
10 Tulips, ten kinds, double and single.	6 Snowdrops.	4 Glory of the Snow.	3 Tritelia.
	10 Freesias.	4 Iris.	1 Beautiful Easter Lily.
	5 Narcissus, assorted.	5 Oxalis.	

Collection "B"—64 Bulbs for Cemetery Planting, $1.00

This collection gave such unbounded satisfaction to those who purchased last Fall that we again offer it exactly as then given. We have selected for this collection the best white-flowering bulbs for outdoor culture. Nothing could be more appropriate and beautiful than a bed of sweet, pure, white flowers, blooming in the cemetery almost before the snows of Winter have gone. This bed will be in bloom for four or five weeks.

4 Pure White Hyacinths. 1 Easter Lily; beautiful, fragrant white flowers. 6 White, sweet Narcissus. 20 Snowdrops; giant white flowers. 8 White Tulips; large, single and double. 25 Pure white Crocus.

This is a Wonderful Bargain—64 White Flowering Bulbs for $1.00.

Calla Ethiopica—Lily of the Nile

Pure white, large, splendid flower. **Price, small bulbs, 10c each; large bulbs, 25c each**

Spotted Leaf Calla—Richardia Alba Maculata

This plant is always ornamental, even when not in bloom, the dark green leaves being beautifully spotted with white. In other respects the plant is the same as the White Calla, but is of dwarf habit. **Price, 15c each; large bulbs, 25c.**

Dwarf Calla—Little Gem

The greatest value of this over the common Calla Lily lies in its dwarf habit and freedom of bloom. The principal objection to the old varieties is found in its rank growth, but in this improved sort that objection is overcome. It rarely exceeds 12 inches in height, and blooms most abundantly. **Price, 15c each.**

We guarantee Safe Arrival of and Satisfaction with all Plants and Bulbs Purchased of us.

SPECIAL 50¢ BULB COLLECTIONS

NO SELECTION OF EXTRAS IS ALLOWED ON THESE COLLECTIONS

Hyacinth Collection "L" for 50 Cents

In making up this collection we use our best bulbs only, and of best varieties and colors. We seldom make such a fine offer, and all who take advantage of it will be more than repaid with magnificent bloom. We offer it to you as follows, for 50c postpaid:

1 Gorgeous Single Pink Hyacinth—"Norma."
1 Large Single Red Hyacinth—"Robert Steiger."
1 Splendid Single Pure White Hyacinth—"Alba Superbissima."
1 Lovely Single Blue Hyacinth—"Leonidas."
1 Double Dark Red Hyacinth—"Princess Alexandria."
1 Double White Hyacinth—"La Virginite."
1 Double Porcelain Blue Hyacinth—"Charles Dickens."
1 Double Pink Hyacinth—"Queen Victoria."

Tulip Collection "M" for 50 Cents

Here we have a fine collection of the best of our Tulips, and offer them as a collection for 50c, postage paid. Nothing is surer to bloom nor make a more pleasing sight than a bed of Tulips, and in making up this collection we use our best named varieties, and the unnamed kinds are superfine, blooming evenly and perfectly. Following is the list:

1 Double Tulip—"Lady Grandison." A brilliant scarlet, a splendid variety.
1 Double Yellow Tulip—"Count of Leicester." Orange and yellow feather.
1 Double White Tulip—"La Candeur." A beautiful variety of snowy whiteness.
1 Double Red Tulip—"Duke of York." A charming shade of red, rich and a full flower. Edged white.
1 Single White Tulip—"La Reine." A fine, showy white flower, rosy shaded. A fine bloomer.
1 Single Pink Tulip—"Cottage Maid." A beautiful shade of pink. A fine bloomer.
1 Single Scarlet Tulip—"Artus." A rich, dazzling color. A good flower.
1 Single Yellow Tulip—"Chrysolora." A fine yellow and a good bloomer.
1 Gorgeous Flowered Tulip—"Peacock." Combining different colors that produce a dazzling effect.
1 "Parrot" Tulip. The best of fancy Tulips; a grand bloom. Our bulbs are sure to bloom.
1 "Gesnerian" or Giant Tulip. Flowering freely and on long shoots, glossy coral red flowers, larger than tea-cups.
1 Special "Golden Crown" Tulip. A splendid variety of a deep golden-yellow, red border. One of the finest of fancy kinds. Late bloomer.
10 Superfine Single and Double Tulips. Unnamed, but splendid colors and kinds, and will make a fine show.

Narcissus Collection "N" for 50 Cents

Never before have we been able to offer such great value in Narcissus, for so little money. There is no class of bulbs which is really more beautiful than the Narcissus, with its masses of white, orange and gold. The varieties we here offer are of the very best, and the bulbs are large and fine. They are sure to flower, and many of them continue to do so year after year.

2 "Paper White" Narcissus. The most beautiful of all pure white sorts; early and easy to bloom; fine for Christmas flowering.
2 "Incomparable Alba Stella" Narcissus. A most striking variety with an orange cup; a beautiful sort.
2 Narcissus "Poeticus." The true pure white and orange-cupped Poet's Narcissus; a splendid variety.
2 Double "Albo Pleno Odorata" Narcissus. The Jasmine-shaped, snow-white flowers of this sort are exquisitely scented.
2 "Trumpet Major" Narcissus. The deep golden single variety; much prized as an early forcer.
2 "Incomparable" or "Butter and Eggs" Narcissus. A golden double flower, much desired as a fine forcing kind.
1 Double "Von Sion" Narcissus. One of the finest of Narcissus, producing gorgeous flowers with deep yellow trumpet.
1 Narcissus "Double Roman." Large flower, white with orange center.

Combination Collection "O" for 50 Cents

For those who want some of each of the three collections, "L," "M" and "N," and who do not want all three, we have arranged this fine collection. This collection contains a fine assortment of Hyacinths, Tulips and Narcissus, and will make a fine show for a very small sum:

1 Beautiful Single Pink Hyacinth—"Norma."
1 Fine Double White Hyacinth—"La Virginite."
1 Striking Single Red Hyacinth—"Robert Steiger."
1 Beautiful Double Porcelain Blue Hyacinth—"Charles Dickens."
1 Orange-cupped, Golden Narcissus, Incomparable—"Ajax Princeps."
1 Snow-white, Profuse flowering Narcissus—"Paper White."
1 Double Golden "Von Sion" Narcissus. A charming sort.
1 "Poet's Narcissus"—The pure white variety, with orange-cup edged with crimson.
1 Orange-striped Double Tulip—"Count of Leicester."
1 Orange "Phoenix" Double Narcissus; beautiful double white flowers with orange center.
1 Superb Double White Tulip—"La Candeur."
2 Variegated Tulips, double; red and yellow—"Gloria Solis."
1 Fine Single Tulip; yellow—"Chrysolora."
1 Flashing Scarlet Tulip—"La Belle Alliance."
6 Superfine Mixed Tulips, which will make a gorgeous display.
1 "Giant Gesnerian" Tulip, the tallest of Tulips; a striking variety.
1 "Parrot Tulip." This flower produces a very pleasing combination of colors.

Assorted Collection "P" for 50 Cents

In this collection we furnish for a small sum a very complete lot of bulbs, both large and small, and producing all sorts and colors of flowers. Description may be found for all of them in the catalogue, and the prices when taken as a collection are very low. Abundance of beautiful, showy flowers will reward the purchaser. The collection contains the following:

3 Fine Hyacinths, pink, white, and blue.
5 Superfine Tulips, assorted colors.
2 Allium Neapolitanum.
1 Anemone.
1 Jonquil, single.
1 Ranunculus.
2 Snowdrops.
1 Narcissus Incomparable, Ajax Princeps.
3 Feather Hyacinths.
2 Grape Hyacinths.
2 Tritelia Unifolia.
2 Scillas.
5 Crocus.
3 Oxalis.
1 Freesia.

Border Collection "R" for 50 Cents

This magnificent assortment of low-growing but profuse flowering bulbs contains more flowers for the amount expended than one could well imagine. Some of the most strikingly beautiful bulbous flowers to be found among Dutch bulbs are contained in this collection. It will make a fine show as a border collection surrounding other large bulbs, or if planted by themselves produce a fine appearance. The collection contains the following:

12 Assorted Crocus.
12 Snowdrops, single.
5 Allium Neapolitanum.
5 Tritelia Uniflora.
3 Snowdrops Elwesii.
5 Feather Hyacinths.
5 Chionodoxa Lucillae.
3 Blue Grape Hyacinths.
3 White Grape Hyacinths.
3 Single Anemones.
5 Sparaxis.
5 Ixias.
5 Scillas.

The Prices of the Above Collection Are So Low We Cannot Afford Any Selection of Extras on Them.

Superb Collection of Eight Ever-Blooming Hybrid Tea Roses

Owing to limited space in Fall Catalogue, we cannot enumerate and describe as many varieties of Roses as we do in Spring. We can, however, furnish all Roses mentioned in our Spring Catalogue.

As the demand for Roses during the Autumn months is largely confined to the finer sorts for house culture during the Winter, we therefore devote the following pages to a select list of choice varieties most suitable for the purpose, and that cannot fail to give the most gratifying results. When received the Roses should be planted at once in a three or four-inch pot, in good, rich soil, watered freely and given a warm temperature and as much light and sun as possible. In the Spring they may be transplanted in the open ground, where they will continue to bloom throughout the Summer.

Fall planting of Roses in open ground is only recommended for the Southern and Pacific Coast States, where the Fall and Winter is the most favorable time for all kinds of outdoor planting. The kinds here offered are especially recommended for these localities.

Price, 15c each; any 4 for 50c; 10 for $1.00.

ANTOINE RIVOIRE.

A handsome new Rose of vigorous habit of growth, with large, full, Camellia-shaped flowers. Color rosy-flesh, on a yellow ground, shaded with a border of carmine; flowers five inches in diameter. A remarkable variety of great worth.

BESSIE BROWN.

We know of no better way to impress upon our customers the great value of this variety than to say it is as strong growing, as free blooming, as attractive, and as hardy as President Carnot, a Rose whose beauty has taken the country by storm. We regard it as one of the finest Roses in cultivation. The flowers are very large and highly built and double; color is a creamy-white with a beautiful shade of pale, tender flesh, resembling glossy silk. It is highly scented and a most magnificent Rose in the open ground.

BURBANK.

A perfectly hardy, free-flowering, ever-blooming Rose. The flowers are double, of fine form, nearly three inches across. The color is a deep rose pink, shading to a beautiful soft rose at the center. The petals are well incurved, so that the center is hidden. In September and October the outer petals change to a deep, rich carmine. Delightfully fragrant.

EMPRESS AUGUSTA VICTORIA.

Elegant large-pointed buds and very large, full, double flowers. Color delicate creamy-white; deliciously fragrant. The flowers are on strong stems, with rich, glossy foliage, making it one of the finest Roses for corsage wear or any other use to which cut flowers can be put.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ.

As a bedding Rose, this is one of the finest and most useful varieties ever sent out. The color is brightest scarlet, shading to deep, rich, velvety-crimson. It is very fragrant. The freest grower and the most profuse of any ever-bloomer. The mass of color produced is wonderful, and the foliage is extremely beautiful, all the younger growth being a bronzy plum color. A queen among scarlet bedders. It is a perfect sheet of richest crimson scarlet all Summer.

METEOR.

A rich, dark, velvety-crimson, ever-blooming Rose, as fine in color as the best of perpetuals. The flowers are of good size, very double and perfect in shape, either as buds or when fully opened.

PERNET'S TRIUMPH.

One of the very finest of the Hybrid Tea class. The flowers are extra large, having broad, thick petals and long, tapering buds, with delicious Tea fragrance. Color a fine, clear magenta-red, sometimes passing to a bright crimson.

PINK LA FRANCE.

No variety can surpass it in delicate coloring—silvery-rose shades, with pink. It has a satin sheen over all its petals; hardy beyond question. It blooms continuously. The flower is large, finely built, endures for a great length of time.

RED LA FRANCE.

Color a rich, deep, even pink throughout. The growth of the plant is vigorous, the habit good, and the flowers, which are thrown up well above the foliage, are produced very freely.

SOUVENIR DE PRESIDENT CARNOT.

A charming new French Rose. A strong, clean, healthy grower, with handsome bronzy-green foliage and large, elegant-shaped buds. The flower is of large size, of exquisite shape, with heavy, thick, shell-like petals; buds long and pointed, similar to Nephritos, but very much larger, and all borne on long, stiff, erect stems. Color a delicate, rosy-flesh, shaded a trifle deeper at center. Very profuse bloomer.

WHITE LA FRANCE.

It is identical with La France, except in color. It is purely white, sometimes tinted with fawn. Don't fail to get this Rose.

HELEN GOULD.

New, Hardy, Ever-Blooming Rose.

Never before have we seen such superb flowers, not only in size, but in form and color. In it we have a better Rose for general purposes, especially Winter blooming, than American Beauty, the dream and hope of every Rose grower. The flowers are full and perfectly double; the buds beautifully made—long and pointed. The color is a warm rosy-crimson. Do not fail to include Helen Gould in your order. It will please you from the day you receive it. As a Rose for Winter blooming indoors in pots or boxes it is far and away the superior of any variety now known. It will grow to perfection in the ordinary living-room and will produce its lovely flowers continuously throughout the entire Fall and Winter.

SELECT EVER-BLOOMING TEA ROSES

PRICE 10 CENTS EACH; ANY SIX FOR 50 CENTS.

A Vase of Bridesmaid Roses.

Bridesmaid—Here we have a fine Rose. The bud is of exquisite shape and contour, so solid and firm, and stems are so long and stiff that no other Rose will compare with it in keeping qualities after being cut. It is a bright pink and is the same color all the time, under every condition of the weather and surroundings.

Ami. Stecher—The plant is a short, upright grower, branching freely, every branch terminated by a cluster of beautiful buds and flowers. The flower is large, full and regular. The color is a bright, glowing, velvety crimson. It blooms constantly from early Summer to late Autumn.

Antoine Weber—Very perfect in bud, flower very large and very full; color "hydrangea pink." A very free grower and recommended as a fine bedder.

Archduchesse Marie Immaculae—New and beautiful. It is one of the most beautiful Roses in the list. The flowers are large, full and sweet, and the buds are exceeding beautiful, being of splendid size and beautifully pointed. It is a strong grower and a profuse and continuous bloomer. In the open ground it excels. The color is pale citron-red with vermilion center—an odd and rarely beautiful combination, worthy of a place in any garden.

Alfred Aubert—A vigorous grower and profuse bloomer; flower as well shaped as "Hermosa," of a bright red color.

Bon Silene—Noted for the great size and beauty of its buds, which are valued very highly for bouquets; deep rose color, sometimes bright rosy-crimson; splendid for outdoor cultivation.

Baronne Berge—The flowers are medium to large size and are produced in large numbers. The plant commences blooming when quite young and continues throughout the season. The color is exceptionally fine and unique—a vivid rose, with bright yellow in the center, which is altogether remarkable in a Rose.

Bride—This is undoubtedly the finest white Ever-Blooming Rose ever offered to the public. The buds are very large and of exquisite form; the petals are of fine texture and substance, and the full flower is very double. The color is a delicate creamy-white. The blooms can be cut with long stems, and will last in a fresh state after being cut longer than any other known variety is equally valuable either for Summer or Winter flowering.

Charles Rovolli—A charming Tea Rose; large globular flowers; full and sweet; color a lovely shade of brilliant carmine, changing to silver rose; center and base of petals clear golden-yellow.

Clothilde Soupert—Flowers are large, double and beautiful in form, borne in sprays, and the color blends from a soft shell-pink to a pure, satiny-white. Roses with both these colors are borne on the same plant at the same time. No other Rose approaches it in flowering qualities.

Coquette de Lyon—Has yellow buds, and is so free in flower as to be called the Yellow Hermosa. This is the best blooming pure yellow Rose in our catalogue.

Comtesse Eva Starhemberg — Flowers full; color creamy-yellow, with buff and ochre-yellow center; petals bordered and edged with rose.

Charles Legrady—One of the most satisfactory for general planting. Magnificent large buds and flowers of great beauty. Color a fine chamois-red, richly shaded with darkest crimson. This rich, unique coloring is one of its marked characteristics, and stamps it with a distinctive charm.

Dr. Grill—Coppery-yellow, with fawny-rose reflex. An entirely new color and one of great brilliance. The outer petals are large, round, and shell shaped, and inclose a mass of shorter petals, which are of a very brilliant color. A grand garden Rose.

Duchess de Brabant—This Rose combines exquisite perfume, beautiful coloring and matchless profusion of flowers and foliage. Soft, light rose, with heavy shading of amber and salmon. Quite hardy.

Elise Heymann—Beautiful rosy-peach, shaded with nankeen-yellow; very free flowering. An excellent bedding sort.

Emile Gonin—White, tinted with orange-yellow, on a deeper ground. Each petal broadly edged with bright carmine; very large and full.

Etoile de Lyon—This magnificent Tea Rose, south of the Ohio River has proved to be perfectly hardy. Blooms in the greatest profusion, and each bud is a gem. Flowers are very large, double full, and deliciously fragrant. The color is a beautiful chrome-yellow, deepening at center to pure golden-yellow.

Enchantress—It blooms with astonishing freedom, bearing its large globular flowers in immense clusters. The color is creamy-white, slightly tinged with buff in the center.

Francois Dubreuil—Fine large double flowers, which in color are equal to the best of our deep-colored Hybrid Perpetuals. The flowers are large, very full and double, with thick regularly arranged petals. Color is red, with velvety shadings; rich and very fragrant.

Golden Gate—This magnificent Rose produces a profusion of long pointed buds, opening to very large double Roses of creamy-white, beautifully tinted to soft yellow at the base of the broad petals, which are exquisitely bordered with clear rose.

General de Tartas—A first-class Rose for bedding. Brilliant carmine, deeply shaded with violet-purple; extra large, very double, full and fragrant.

Helen Cambier—Great Yellow Garden Rose. The growth is free and vigorous, very free-blooming, flowers of splendid substance and a delightful shade of deep, rich, golden yellow. In extreme heat comes a deep amber color. The buds are full and firm, lasting a long time when cut. As the flowers expand the center of the rose discloses depths of golden-yellow, with light orange tints, while the older petals lessen to lemon-yellow, giving a combination of tints and tones unequaled in their beauty.

Ivory, or White Golden Gate—Golden Gate has become so well known to all Rose growers as an extremely free forcing variety of the largest size, that all will understand what the new rose, Ivory, is like when it is described as a pure white Golden Gate, a sport from that variety. Its extraordinary freedom, large size, heavy canes and pure color, all tend to make it a valuable forcing variety.

Isabella Sprunt—A bright canary-yellow, large, beautiful buds, suitable for cut flowers, a very sweet tea scent, profuse bloomer. It is no doubt the freest bloomer of all yellow roses.

SELECT EVER-BLOOMING TEA ROSES--Continued

PRICE 10 CENTS EACH; ANY SIX FOR 50 CENTS.

Jules Finger—A magnificent Rose; elegant and valuable; the color is bright rosy-scarlet, beautifully shaded with intense crimson.

Little Red Pet—A new Rose of great beauty. Dark crimson flowers, equaling the Polyantha Roses in freedom of bloom. Fine for massing or pot culture. Blooms through the entire season.

Louis Richard—A superb Rose imported from France; extra large size; splendid full form, very double, delicious Tea scent; color rich coppery-rose, changing to buff, shaded with carmine; center sometimes brilliant rosy-crimson.

Marie Van Houtte—Of a fine, faultless, straw-yellow color, with the outer petals washed and outlined with a bright rosy-crimson. Occasionally the whole flower will be suffused with light pink. It grows vigorously, blooms freely and is most deliciously scented. In cool weather it almost changes color, taking on gorgeous crimson tints. A beautiful and superb Rose.

Mad. Sadi Carnot—This ought to be one of the finest Roses in the whole collection, as it is named after the wife of the late President of France. It blooms in large clusters, fine, full flowers; clear, bright, cherry-red, passing to magenta. Makes pretty buds; delightfully perfumed.

White Maman Cochet—Identical with its parent, Maman Cochet, the queen of all pink garden Roses, except in color of flower, which is snowy-white, sometimes faintly tinged with the faintest suggestion of pale blush. The flowers are large and very double, with petals of unusually heavy texture, making it of more than ordinary value in open ground. It has the vigor of an oak, with large, heavy foliage, which is impervious to disease. Hardy with protection; of extraordinary merit.

White Maman Cochet.

Mad. Lambard—A first-class Rose for bedding; extra large, full flowers; very double and sweet; color a beautiful shade of rosy-bronze, passing to salmon and fawn, beautifully shaded with carmine; an elegant Rose.

Mad. Margottin—A famous Rose of the most distinct and beautiful type. Flowers very large, full and double, borne profusely. Color dark citron-yellow, bright red center. A strong grower and a remarkably fine Rose in every way.

Madame Hoste—Nearly every lover of beautiful flowers counts among his favorite Roses the Perle des Jardins, and certainly will be anxious to secure this distinct new Rose when we state its large and beautiful petals are larger and longer than that well-known Tea Rose. Generally the petals are of a clear ivory white. They can always be cut on long stems, with beautiful dark green foliage.

Maman Cochet—This is one of the most beautiful new Tea Roses that has been introduced in years. Growth vigorous; rich, healthy foliage; extra large flowers on long, stout stems; very double and simply exquisite when in bud or half-blown. The color is a deep, rosy-pink.

Marie Guillot—This beautiful Tea Rose continues in popular favor, and still maintains its position as one of the best white Roses of its class. Flowers of an unusual style, entirely double to the center, and very sweet scented. Habit of growth the best.

Madame Welche—The flowers have great depth and substance, and are of fine globular form, with broad, thick petals, and large, finely-shaped buds. The color is a beautiful shade of soft amber yellow, deepening toward the center to a fine orange or coppery-yellow, delicately tinged and clouded with pale, ruddy crimson.

Madame de Watteville—The color is a remarkable shade of creamy-yellow, richly colored with rosy-blush. The petals are large and each one widely bordered with bright crimson, which gives it a very striking and beautiful appearance. The flowers are large, very full and highly perfumed. For planting in the open ground Madame de Watteville takes front rank, being a hardy, vigorous grower, a profuse bloomer, and unsurpassed for cutting.

Mme. E. Duranthon—This is one of the most unique colored Roses in existence. Large flowers, surmounting a long, stiff stem; creamy-white outside, center pink and coppery-yellow. Extremely free. This is indeed a beauty. Received first-class certificate at Lyons, France.

Mme. Cecile Berthod—Most beautiful, both in bud and flower, which is deep golden-yellow. In fact, the deepest yellow in color of any rose we grow. The foliage is very bright. This is a rose of magnificent size and color.

Mlle. Franceska Kruger—The striking color of this handsome Rose places it at once in the front as a bud producer in the open air. In its shading of deep, coppery-yellow it stands unique and distinct from all others. The flower when open is of good size and very symmetrical. One of the finest Roses to plant in masses and clumps.

Mosella, the Yellow Soupert—This splendid novelty blooms in profuse clusters of three to five flowers, which are very double. The petals are tinted white on beautiful, light yellow ground, extending to the middle of the petals. The plant is dwarf, bushy and free blooming.

Princess Sagan—Flowers of this variety are the richest crimson of any Rose in our vast collection. A single bud or blossom will catch the eye at a great distance, so brilliant is the color. Indeed, it is unmatched in its velvety richness; could well be termed "The Velvet Rose."

Papa Gontier—A grand red Tea, of fine crimson shade and silken texture (as distinct from velvety texture. The bud is of fine size and graceful form. Extremely free, both in growth and bloom. Very long and beautifully-leaved stems can be cut, the foliage being very dark and heavy. One of the best, and a perfect bedder.

Pink Soupert—The Pink Soupert produces flowers of various shades of pink, sometimes red, then again a bright pink is seen, almost identical in color with that grand old Rose Hermosa. Then again the same bush will produce light pink flowers, suffused with lilac. The colors are altogether new. Is is hardy and a profuse bloomer.

The Queen—A very large pure snow-white ever-blooming Rose; the flowers are extremely large, very full and double, and delightfully perfumed; a vigorous and healthy grower.

R. E. Kesselstatt—Very strong grower, foliage brilliant dark green, produces a long bud of dark red, shaded cream color, borne on a long stiff stem; flowers large, fairly full; clear carmine shaded darker red and touched with cream color.

Souv. Rose Terrel des Chenes—A seedling from Kaiserina Augusta Victoria and Mme. Joseph Schwartz; vigorous in growth, with shining green foliage; flower of large size; color white, shaded with light pink and rosy-carmine.

Snow Flake—This is a lovely White Rose, a pure Tea, but a foreign seedling, the freest-flowering White Rose we have ever seen. It will be especially useful in set designs. For a pot plant it cannot be excelled, as it possesses every good quality of a pot rose.

Safrano—Bright apricot-yellow, changing to orange and fawn, sometimes tinted with rose; valued highly for its beautiful buds; fragrant and a rampant grower.

Virginia—We consider it one of the most promising Tea Roses of modern introduction. It is a vigorous grower, of bushy habit, the blooms are large and double, finely formed, lasting and of excellent substance, often remaining on the bush until dried up. Color light yellow, with a tinge of saffron at the center, and reverse of petals of pinkish cast. Perfume a delicate and delightful Tea scent.

White Bougere—A beautiful, large, pure white flower, with thick shell-shaped petals; fine both in bud and fully open flower. Plant a strong, healthy grower, and equally valuable for pot or garden culture.

FIVE FAMOUS
.....HARDY RAMBLER ROSES.....

PRICE 10 CENTS EACH.

Crimson Rambler—This variety has made a record which places it at the head of the list as the most desirable Hardy Climbing Rose. It is of vigorous growth, making shoots from eight to ten feet in height during a season. As a pot plant it is unequaled for decorative purposes. The fine flowers with which the plant is covered in the spring are produced in large trusses of pyramidal form and of the brightest crimson color. The blossoms remain on the plant for a great length of time without losing their brightness.

White Rambler—Pure pearl white.

Pink Rambler—Deep pink, full and fragrant.

Yellow Rambler—Light canary yellow.

PSYCHE, the New Rambler Rose

Received the award of merit of the Royal Horticultural Society of England. A cross between Crimson Rambler and Golden Fairy. In growth and habit it much resembles the Rambler. The flowers are produced in large clusters, and are 2 to 2½ inches across when fully expanded. The color is white, suffused with salmon-rose and pink, with yellow base to the petals. A real companion to Crimson Rambler.

CLIMBING TEA ROSES

FOR THE SOUTH

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Climbing Meteor—Climbing Meteor is the acme of all red climbing Roses. It is a free, persistent bloomer and will make a growth of from ten to fifteen feet in a season; in bloom all the time, as it is a true everbloomer. We do not hesitate to place it at the head of the list of all Roses for Summer blooming, as it will make a strong growth and is literally loaded with deep, rich red flowers all the time.

The Marechal Niel—The most popular and exquisitely beautiful yellow Climbing Rose in the world.

James Sprunt—A grand Rose. Deep cherry red; medium size, full, double and sweet; a strong grower and profuse bloomer.

White Marechal Niel—It is the counterpart in every respect of Marechal Niel, its parent, save the color of the flower, which is a pale creamy-white, totally distinct. It is a rapid climber, and quickly makes a bush of considerable proportions. For Southern cultivation it will be of great value.

Empress of China—There is no other Rose like it that will bloom for so long a time. It is simply wonderful. When it first opens the flowers are a beautiful red, but soon turn to a lovely light pink, and it blooms so profusely as to almost hide the plant. It is perfectly hardy, and a vigorous grower.

Reine Marie Henriette—Flowers large, full and of fine form; color beautiful cherry-red, a pure shade; very double, very sweet; an extra fine sort, sometimes called red flowering "Glorie de Dijon."

Mary Washington—Its flowers are of medium size, pure white, perfectly double to the center, sweet, and borne in endless number all Summer. It is a vigorous and rapid grower and at once becomes a general favorite. It makes a great profusion of fine buds.

Climbing Malmaison—There is no finer pink Rose than the old, well-known Malmaison, or "Souvenir" of the South, and we are sure that our patrons, one and all, will be glad to hear that we have a climbing variety that is identical with the parent. This variety will prove of inestimable value to all lovers of fine climbing Roses. It will prove perfectly hardy south of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Robert Peary, or Climbing Kaiserin—The flowers are extra large, full, deep and double. They are of excellent substance, and produced on long, stiff stems, like a forcing Rose. The buds are long and pointed, a remarkable feature not found in any other climbing Rose. Pure ivory-white. The fragrance is delicious.

New, Hardy, Ever-Blooming Rose,

CLIMBING CLOTHILDE SOUPERT.

In a single season small plants will grow 15 to 25 feet, producing cluster after cluster of the finest formed flowers. They are distinct, large, round, full, and double, with beautifully imbricated petals, and deliciously sweet. The color effect is magnificent—ivory white shading toward the center to a silvery-rose. Cluster after cluster of flowers are produced throughout the entire season, and the bush at all times is literally loaded down with them. It needs no protection, having withstood with us a temperature of 20 degrees below zero in the open ground without protection. This is unquestionably one of the most important introductions of recent years.

Hardy Climbing Prairie Roses

PRICE 10 CENTS EACH.

Baltimore Belle—Pale blush, variegated carmine, rose and white. Very double flowers, in beautiful clusters, the whole plant appearing a perfect mass of bloom. One of the very best of the type.

Greville, or Seven Sisters—Flowers in large clusters, varies in color from white to crimson.

Prairie Queen—Flowers very large and of peculiar globular form; bright rosy-red, changing to lighter as the flowers open.

Russell's Cottage—Dark, velvety-crimson, very double and full. A profuse bloomer and strong grower; desirable.

Tennessee Belle—Flowers bright, beautiful pink. Is more slender and graceful in growth than any of the varieties.

MOSS ROSES.

PRICE, 15 CENTS EACH.

Comtesse de Murinais—Flowers white, sometimes tinged with flesh color; large, double cupped, buds heavily mossed. One of the best Moss Roses.

Henri Martin—Rich, glossy pink, tinged with crimson, large globular flowers; very full and sweet; finely mossed; one of the finest.

Madame Rochlambert—Fine, clear pink; extra large, fragrant flowers, full and globular, nicely covered with moss.

Hardy Perpetual, or June Roses

Their flowers are much larger than those of the tender Roses, and the prevailing coloring is darker and richer than found among the Teas. **Price, 15c each.**

Anna de Diesbach—(Glory of Paris.) Brilliant crimson sometimes shaded with bright maroon, long pointed buds and large, finely-formed, compact flowers, very full and sweet. One of the best.

Ball of Snow—(Boule de Neige.) A finely-formed, pure white Rose. Beautiful shell-shaped petals.

Clio—Flowers flesh color, shading to rosy pink; large and globular and freely produced. Of Baroness Rothschild type.

Mlle. Marie Rady—Clear, bright red, finely penciled with rich maroon; very large, full flowers; fragrant and beautiful.

Magna Charta—Superb, bold, full flowers; very double and sweet, borne erect on strong, stout canes; bright satiny-pink, tinged with carmine.

Madame Plantier—Pure white, perfectly double, fragrant flowers, which hang on for a long time. A beautiful cemetery Rose; one of the best for forming hedges.

Paul Neyron—Deep, shining rose. Flowers very large, often measuring five inches in diameter. Without doubt the largest flower of all Roses.

Prince Camille de Rohan—Very dark, rich, velvety crimson, passing to intense maroon, shaded black. Large, full flowers, looking, at a little distance, as if really black. One of the darkest Roses; very handsome.

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25 Ever-Blooming Roses for $1.00.

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We know of no plant that will give better satisfaction or is better adapted to house culture than the Geranium. Keep the plant as cool as possible and give plenty of air. Sprinkle the leaves frequently and keep them as free from dust as possible.

Alpine Beauty—What S. A. Nutt is among the dark reds, Alpine Beauty is among double whites. We consider this the finest double white up to date.

Adrienne Corret—Immense spherical trusses of bright reddish-orange color. A continuous free-blooming variety of great merit.

Black Knight—Bright crimson maroon; very large truss and a splendid bedding variety.

Bishop Vincent—The handsome flowers are bright cherry, mixed with solferino in a most charming manner; the flowers are of large size and carried on magnificent, large, massive trusses; very profuse bloomer. Stands the hottest sun without scorching.

Bruanti—Semi-double; color of the flowers a vermilion-red of the most pleasing shade. The flowers are absolutely perfect in shape, trusses exceptionally large. The best scarlet bedder.

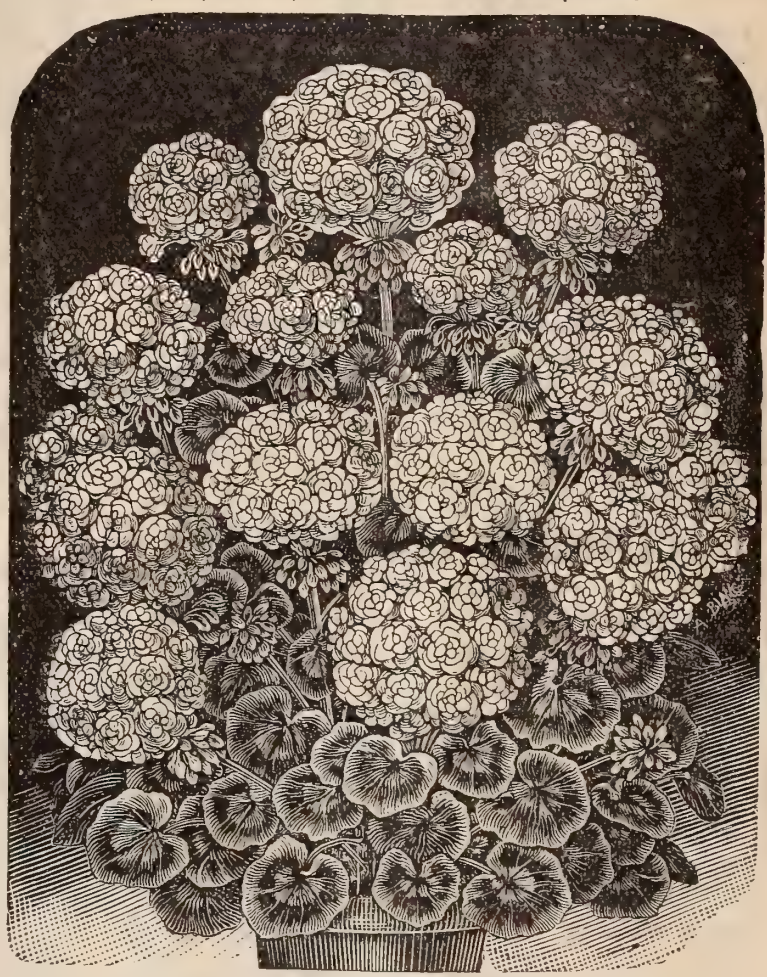
B. K. Bliss—A splendid bedder, blooming without intermission, and standing the sun well. The flowers are beautiful, deep, rich scarlet; fine large florets of most perfect circular form. The best shaped flower of its class.

Contraste—Among the most beautiful of new double Geraniums is Contraste. The flowers and trusses are very large. Lower petals orange and carmine, upper petals clear orange, making a striking contrast of colors that is beautiful.

Crepuscule—Another fine Geranium raised by Bruant. Trusses large and freely produced; dark purplish-crimson, marked at the center with capucine-red. Best of the color.

Colossus—Floret quite circular, semi-double; 2½ inches in diameter; truss also fine. Color is very beautiful, a rich shade of rosy crimson; very free in bloom; one of the very largest and finest among the double reds.

California—Rich, golden-orange shade, of the most brilliant hue—we need not add another word as to its color. The flowers are the largest size, most perfectly shaped, in large trusses, opening freely at all seasons.



La Favorite.

Comtesse de Harcourt—Pure snow white; a grand bedder. Florets large and beautifully formed. Extremely free in bloom, forming a bank of white.

Col. Barre—Semi-double, dwarf, and very free; an entirely new color in this choice section. The lower petals are rosy-pink, upper petals darker and marked scarlet at the base. Most of the florets throw from 6 to 8 petals, and have much the elegance of form of the finest of the ivy-leaved section. Both florets and trusses are of unusual size.

Dr. Jacoby—A magnificent Geranium, having enormous trusses of large double flowers of clear nankeen-salmon. A most charming variety.

De Lacepede—Flowers very full; rosy-flesh color, with lilac shadings.

Ed. Andre—A beautiful flower of dark rose, shaded with violet. A most beautiful Geranium.

Emerson—A magnificent Geranium, having enormous trusses of large double flowers of deep pink and salmon flesh.

Grand Chancellor Faidherbe—A fine sort; very thick and double; flowers of a dark, soft red, tinted with scarlet and heavily shaded with maroon; very dark and rich, and at the same time very bright. Simply a superb variety.

Geoffrey De St. Hilare—Large, spherical trusses of glowing scarlet, rayed with intense violet-crimson. A strong, bushy variety of great merit, and after a thorough trial we can recommend it as unequaled in its class.

Gloire de France—Large round florets of waxy appearance, colors carmine and white, with carmine center, each petal delicately edged with carmine. An excellent pot variety, to which its habit is finely suited. It is one of the prettiest Geraniums we have.

Hubert Charron—Beautiful semi-double flower, pure white with a reddish carmine band around each petal, frequently delicately mottled throughout the whole flower. Excellent as specimen pot plants or for summer bedding.

La Favorite—A fine double white Geranium, claimed to be an advance on White Swan. The florets are pure white and large; trusses of medium size. It stands the sun well and is an excellent bedder.

John A. Doyle—The giant among Geraniums. We consider this the best bedding Geranium of all varieties. Color of the flower is a bright vermilion-red of the most pleasing shade, trusses large, borne in immense spherical balls; fine also in pots.

Jean Viaud—Very large semi-double blooms borne in large trusses well above the foliage; individual floret large; color bright rosy-pink with distinct white blotch in the center; habit dwarf, compact, very vigorous and exceptionally free blooming. Foliage clear deep green with distinct bronze-green zone; probably the best pink Geranium yet introduced.

J. B. Varonne—No one has seen this beautiful Geranium without being captivated with it on account of its beautiful contrast of coloring. Plant of good free-blooming habit, flowers large, color brightest vermilion, center very distinctly spotted and marked with white and lilac.

Marquis de Castelaine—A giant among Geraniums. Produces a wealth of bloom the whole season. Flowers 2 inches and over in diameter. Trusses of bloom 5 to 7 inches across. Petals broad, arranged to form a round flower of perfect shape. Color deep rosy-scarlet, shading into pure scarlet at the edge of upper petals. We consider it one of the best red Geraniums ever introduced.

Montesquieu—Soft lavender-pink of even shade; form of a Rose; circular in form. A grand variety.

Miss Frances E. Willard—This very choice variety is one of several seedlings raised from seeds obtained from a flower of White Swan; it is of vigorous growth, the flower stalks are very long and are carried well above the foliage; the color is a delicate blush, shaded with pearl-pink.

Queen of Fairies—Large, round florets of very waxy appearance; colors, carmine and white, with carmine center, each petal delicately edged with carmine. An excellent pot variety, to which its habit is finely suited. One of the prettiest; splendid bedder.

(DOUBLE GERANIUMS—Continued.)

Richelieu—No Geranium in our list is more attractive. Individual flowers are of good size, borne in close round trusses. Color, bright cherry scarlet. One of the most profuse bloomers.

Rosebud Geranium—Florets like perfect rosebuds. Habit of growth dwarf and compact, making this variety most desirable for pot culture. The novelty and merit, however, are principally in the flower, the perfect trusses of miniature rosebud florets are wonderfully attractive and pleasing. Color bright scarlet flamed with purple shadings, and most lasting.

Sir Trevor Lawrence—A unique variety, with very large trusses of perfect shaped flowers with round petals. Color an exquisite shade of rosy-peach.

S. A. Nutt—This is the darkest and richest Geranium grown. It is a very bright, dark, deep, rich, velvety-maroon, an excellent bedder and a perfect pot plant. One that must find its way into every collection. Always in bloom.

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Brilliant.

Brilliant—A grand scarlet variety, with large pips and trusses of the finest shape; finest single scarlet.

Apple Blossom—Fine trusses of pearly-white flowers, suffused with rose; the delicate color seen in apple blossoms; stands sun well.

Apotheose—Clear, bright rose color, with large white center. The upper petals suffused with carmine; habit good. A very beautiful member of the double Aureole family.

Clyde—A single scarlet Geranium of Bruant type. A sport from Mrs. E. G. Hill, in every respect like its parent, except color, which is pure scarlet of soft, even shade. Floret immense, 2½ to 3 inches in diameter. Trusses 14 to 16 inches in circumference. A grand bedder and also a fine pot plant.

Celestial—Deep rose tinged white; an extra fine sort for bedding out or Winter flowering.

Deuil de Miribel—Velvety crimson-scarlet. This variety has the largest floret, the finest truss, the longest stem, and the best color among single reds, and it is a fine, free grower.

Frau Louise Voith—Perhaps the grandest single pink Geranium out. The color is a beautiful, clear and brilliant carmine-rose, with a very large, pure white eye. Trusses large and of a beautiful shape.

General Sheridan—One of the best bedding Geraniums in cultivation. Grows freely and blooms with the greatest profusion; brilliant scarlet flowers.

Granville—Floret perfectly round; a lovely bright pink. Flowers are of the largest size and excellent form, trusses very large and spreading, flowering most all seasons.

Hecla—Crimson-scarlet or carmine of the loveliest shade; florets large and finely formed. One of the finest fancy reds.

Hofgartner Eichler—Dark crimson; shaded to dark scarlet; very dark and beautiful.

Jasper—Bright orange flowers, deeply shaded; white eye.

Jacques Callot—Single seedling from Souv. de Mirande, the finest of all the fancy Geraniums. This variety is identical with its parent, save for larger size.

Katie Schultz—Delicate pink, dainty and beautiful. One of the finest for bedding.

La Vestale—In this variety we have a most beautiful pure white Geranium. It has large trusses of the purest snow-white flowers; very free flowering. A splendid variety.

L'Elysee—Orange-salmon; large, fine flowers; the color named is the prevailing one, but it is peculiarly lightened in places with white; beautiful.

Lowell—Soft scarlet-pink of beautiful shade, florets circular in form; trusses of grand size, fine indoors and out.

Mlle. L. Moyot—A variety with striped flowers. Very distinct from others of its class. Large white center, bordered with vermilion; very free; constant in bloom; extra fine for massing.

M. P. Morlan—Plant very free, enormous trusses, large flowers of rosy-salmon, center white, surrounded by a halo of bright salmon.

Master Christine—Bright rosy-pink, shaded lighter to the center. A fine one for bedding or pot culture.

Mrs. Lindsay—A strong growing Geranium of good habit, producing enormous trusses of a deep pink violet shading; upper petals marked white.

Mme. Bruant—A grand variety, wholly distinct from any other in cultviation. White, veined with carmine-lake; florets regularly bordered with bright solferino; the arrangement of color is exquisite, often intermingling and producing a striped effect; the trusses are large and beautifully formed.

Marguerite De Layres—A grand single white, plants a mass of white bloom, trusses of the grandest size.

Madam Delamarre—Single. A bright rosy-crimson, with heavy white markings on the upper petals. The habit is dwarf, compact, and, with its great freedom of bloom, make it a most excellent bedder.

Madonna—A magnificent bedding variety; trusses are of extraordinary size, almost pansy form; the color is a soft, light pink, a beautiful and distinct shade.

Nellie Woods—We feel like calling this the queen of all the single round flowering varieties. The floret is of enormous size, perfectly round; the color is rich, glowing crimson scarlet; a very telling color.

Renome—Clear apricot, passing to copper; rose-veined center; fine, large trusses.

Ralph—A magnificent bedder and profuse bloomer; crimson scarlet, shaded purple.

Signor Crispi—Immense florets forming large trusses of the most delicately beautiful pink, with white eye.

Sam Sloan—Rich, vivid crimson; immense trusses. The best of the dark Geraniums for bedding, as it blooms freely, stands the sun well and is a rarely beautiful flower.

Scarlet Cloth—Splendid rich shade of scarlet; extra large floret and truss.

Souvenir de Mirande—Round florets, upper petals cream-white, with a distinct rosy-pink border; lower petals salmon-rose, streaked pure white; a most novel color.

Tempest—A brilliant orange, still the nearest approach to yellow among the Single Geraniums. Very dazzling color.

Wedding Ring—This Geranium took precedence over any Geranium we grew the past Summer for the excellence and great beauty of its flowers. It is a Geranium that one never tires of. Dazzling orange-scarlet florets, circular and slightly cupped, giving it the appearance of a beautiful ring.

W. A. Chalfant—Dazzling scarlet, florets slightly circular and slightly cupped, forming a magnificent truss; one of the best for bedding.

IVY GERANIUMS. PRICE 10c EACH; 3 FOR 25c.

Charles Turner—Best bloomer. Color light scarlet with soft rose tint; two upper petals veined with maroon-crimson.

Camille Flammarion—General favorite with all lovers of the ivy-leaf varieties. Flowers large, full, cup-shaped, and a deep rose color.

Galilee—Rich, deep pink; large flowers of deep substance; makes a beautiful plant for window in Winter.

Joan of Arc—This is one of the most beautiful plants it has ever been our privilege to offer. The flowers are perfectly double, white as snow and literally cover the plants when in full bloom.

Mme. A. Guillemand—Flowers are full and double; color violet-purple; extremely grand of this color.

The Ever-Popular Sun-Proof Bruant Geraniums

PRICE, 10 CENTS EACH
SELECTION OF ANY SIX FOR 50 CENTS

Bruanti—Semi-double. Color of the flower a vermilion-red, of a most pleasing shade. The flowers are absolutely perfect in shape, contour and make-up; trusses exceptionally large and borne in immense spherical balls, often measuring eight inches in diameter. The best scarlet bedder extant.

Beaute Poitevine—Semi-double, one of the very finest of the Bruant race; the color is a brilliant salmon, shading to apricot in the center; trusses colossal, florets 2¼ inches in diameter. Created a sensation at the Paris Exposition.

Blanche Moulas—Single. A grand bedding variety of much merit. The flowers are large, salmon, beautifully bordered with white. Geranium of rare beauty.

Barbizet—The individual flowers are very large, borne on long foot-stalks; color, fresh, bright rose, maculated with white on the upper petals. A beautiful variety.

Emile Cailletet—Dwarf grower, producing very large flowers of a beautiful light rose, marked with white on upper petals; splendid bedder, producing a mass of colors; single flowers.

Dr. Thouvenet—Very large double flowers, clear cerise-red.

Del Rosso—Magnificent salmon, white center, shading to light lines about the center; very free blooming, either bedded or in pots; semi-double.

Francois Arago—Single flowers finely formed, a free bloomer; on strong foot-stalks; color silvery-salmon, shaded peach; fine glistening texture.

Mrs. E. G. Hill—Single; florets 2½ inches. The center of each petal is soft, light salmon, bordered with rosy-salmon and veined deep rose. Frequently throws six petals.

SWEET SCENTED GERANIUMS

PRICE, 8 CENTS EACH.

Balm—Large leaves, with a very strong fragrance.

Rose—Too well known to need description. These are indispensable in the formation of bouquets. We have two varieties, one of the broad-leaved and the other fine cut.

BEAUTIFUL WINTER-BLOOMING FUCHSIAS

Glorie des Marches.

SINGLE FLOWERING VARIETIES.

Price, 10c each; any six for 50c.

Black Prince—This is, without question, the very finest Fuchsia grown for the amateur to cultivate. It makes a shapely bush, is robust in growth, free from disease and insects, and is probably the freest in blooming. Blossoms of a beautiful waxy-carmine or pink color. Certainly a plant of easy culture.

De Mirble—Sepals relieved, bright red; quite large corolla, rose and violet.

Speciosa—A well-known variety, producing large flowers two inches in length, tubes and sepals of which are blush, the corolla crimson. Some plants of this variety grown in eight or nine-inch pots, will produce from 300 to 500 flowers from December to May.

Trailing Queen—This Fuchsia is an entirely new departure, differing from all other large flowering varieties in its habit of growth, as it is a trailing vine. The flowers are borne in large, drooping clusters; very large, long, graceful.

Wave of Life—Foliage bright yellow, corolla bright violet, sepals scarlet.

DOUBLE FLOWERING VARIETIES.

Price, 10c each; any six for 50c.

Avalanche—Beautiful golden foliage and dark double violet-purple corolla.

Phenomenal—The largest Fuchsia we have yet seen. The tube and sepals are bright coral-red, beautifully formed. The corolla, nearly 2½ inches across, is of the very richest violet shade. The habit is remarkably free, and it blooms more freely than any other large variety.

Glorie des Marches—It is nearly perfection as to free growing and habit, being strong and bushy. The tube and sepals are deep scarlet, the corolla is very large and double, and pure white. **Price, 15c each.**

Trophee—One of the best dark purple Fuchsias grown; double; buds quite round and beautiful deep red color. Open flower dark purple and very beautiful.

THE AMERICAN WONDER LEMON

THE LARGEST EDIBLE LEMON IN THE WORLD

The tree is known as a Citrus Monstrosity, producing lemons each year weighing from two to three pounds each. In addition to its fruit-bearing qualities it makes a very handsome specimen plant for house culture. The dark green foliage is very large and handsome, and the pure waxy-white flowers with yellow stems are nearly as large as Tuberose blooms and as fragrant as Orange blossoms, which it greatly resembles. The lemons have very thin rind for such large fruit, and are full of rich acid juice—one is fully equal to eight or ten ordinary lemons. It makes a delicious lemonade, and for culinary purposes has no equal. It is of the very easiest culture, flowering and fruiting in any good ordinary soil. **Price for strong, young plants, 10c each; second size, 25c.**

FLOWERING BEGONIAS

10 Cents Each; Any Six for 50 Cents.

This Beautiful Class of Plants is Deservedly Popular. They are Suitable for Pot Culture in the Window or the Outdoor Plant Stand.

Alba Picta—Long, pointed, slender leaves, thickly spotted with silvery white; foliage small and elegant.

Argentea Guttata—This beautiful sort has the silvery blotches of Alba Picta. It has purple-bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with silvery markings, and is in every way a most beautiful Begonia. Produces white flowers in bunches on ends of growth stems.

Argyrostigma Picta—A handsome, compact-growing variety. Leaves a silvery-green, dotted white, smooth and glossy. Flowers a lemon-white, produced in corymbs. Magnificent pot plant.

Alberta Perfecta Grandiflora—We doubt if there is a white-flowered variety that equals it. The foliage resembles Rubra in shape, but it is lighter green, while the flower panicles are much handsomer. It is a pure white flowering Begonia of much merit. Try it.

Compta—A new variety resembling closely the old Zebrina. Compta is a more compact grower, with long pointed green leaves; a silver tinge, along the mid-rib; under side of leaves and stem pale pink.

Erfordii—The finest bedding variety extant, used by thousands in the Chicago parks. Dwarf and compact in growth, and covered with flowers of soft pink color.

Fuchsoides Coccinea—Elegant free-blooming variety. It resembles Hybrida Multiflora in growth. The flowers are bright scarlet.

Glorie de Lucerne—A beautiful variety that is evidently a cross between Sanguinea and Rubra, both of which it resembles in foliage, while the bloom is the most beautiful rosy-vermilion. The leaves are of most beautiful form, broad and deeply lobed, bronze-green above and purple below. The plant assumes a fine tree form with a little attention.

Hybrida Multiflora—Very free-blooming, beautiful pink flowers.

McBethii—Foliage fern-like; panicles of pure white flowers produced in great profusion. Most persistent bloomer of the Begonias; supersedes Richardsonii, which variety it resembles in foliage.

Metallica—A fine, erect-growing Begonia, with dark rough leaves; the surface is a lustrous bronze-green with a metallic-like hue, veins depressed and dark red.

Purity—The most attractive of all the white flowering Begonias, being a mass of waxy-white flowers both Summer and Winter. Its growth is dwarf and compact, making it an excellent pot plant, while nothing is better for bedding out in Summer. Do not fail to include some plants of this charming Begonia when making out your next order.

Robusta—This is one of the most peculiar Begonias grown. The stock, stem and underside of the leaf are Indian-red; the upper side of the leaf glossy olive-green. The flower is composed of two wide and two narrow petals, the wide ones being broadcast at the base and terminating in a round point, of a beautiful bright rose.

Speculata—Quite a novelty in the Rex type. Leaves are in the form of a grape leaf. Color is a bright green, with a background of chocolate; veins of a light pea-green, the whole leaf spotted with silver. In bloom it is magnificent; the panicles, composed of great numbers of individual pink blossoms, are lifted high and spray-like quite clear of the foliage.

Sandersonii—Bushy growing variety; glossy deep-green leaves; flowers in clusters of drooping, scarlet, heart-shaped buds.

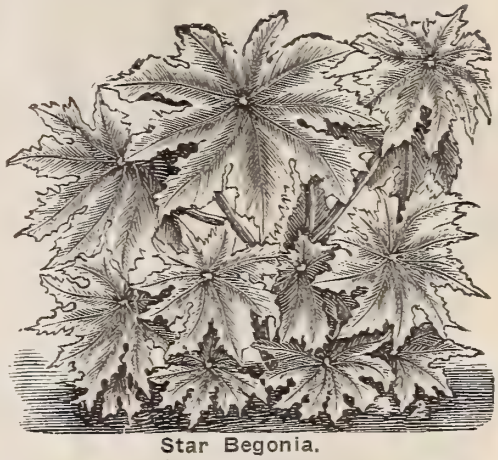
Sanguinea—Leaves darkest glossy-green or olive, under side dark crimson, flowers white, makes a charming combination.

New Begonia Thurstoni—The under side of leaves is a rich, purplish-red, the veinings very prominent, while the face or upper side is a bronzy-green, shaded with crimson and olive, with a peculiar glossy metallic luster over all. Flowers rosy-white in large clusters, well above the foliage. The plant has a fine habit.

Velutina—The name implies "velvet," which is all that can be said of its appearance. A stately grower, and in flower a handsome specimen of the family of Metallicas. A truly grand sort.

Zebrina—An erect-growing variety, with a beautiful profusion of pendant leaves. Besides its graceful form the leaf is distinguished by its glistening, silver shading following the leaf, the body being a very dark, velvety-green; under side plum color, vein green. Flower pure white. A beautiful variety.

Begonia, Ricinifolia Maculata, or Star Begonia



Star Begonia.

The leaf is very large, will average a foot or more in diameter, and is separated into seven or nine points, carried on thick, long stems, eighteen inches or more in height. Color rich brown, blotched with pale green, surface velvety. In bloom it is magnificent, the panicles composed of great numbers of individual pink blooms, are lifted high and spray-like quite clear of the foliage. Wonderfully effective. **Price, 20c each.**

Four New Double Flowered Begonias

A new addition to the Begonia family in the semperflorens type. In growth the plants are very vigorous and compact, making them fine for bedding or pot culture. **Price, 15c each; Set of 4 for 50c.**

THE DOUBLE WHITE SEMPERFLORENS.

Boule de Neige—Leaves clear green, flowers large, full, arranged in tiers at the summit of the stalk, pure white bordering sometimes lightly on pink in the open air, stamens clear yellow.

THE DOUBLE ROSE SEMPERFLORENS.

Glorie du Montet—Very floriferous variety, foliage bronzy-green; numerous flowers covering the plant; flowers double, lake rose, carmine reverse.

THE DOUBLE PINK SEMPERFLORENS.

Nancy—Foliage deep green, flowers medium, double, tender rose, stamens chrome yellow.

THE DOUBLE RED SEMPERFLORENS.

Triumph de Lorraine—A profuse bloomer, flower quite double, with nicely imbricated petals; color of buds and flowers when opening a bright scarlet, changing to a cherry carmine when fully open.

Rex Begonias

The Begonia Rex is the king of foliage plants, far outshowing all others. Give them a soil composed of rich loam, woods earth and sharp sand. They require a warm, moist atmosphere and a shady situation Do not allow the sun to strike the leaves while wet, and do not over-water. Nothing can surpass them for the window or conservatory culture; they may be planted in a shady situation under trees or alongside of the house. Rex varieties make immense leaves. **We can furnish Rex Begonias in six choice sorts at 15 cents each; set of four for 50 cents.**

If Goods Are to go by Express, Choose 30 Cents' Worth Extra for Each Dollar You Send Us. Fruit and 50c Collections Excepted.

FERNS MOST BEAUTIFUL OF ALL DECORATIVE PLANTS

Adiantum Cuneatum—Maiden Hair Fern. A very beautiful and graceful Fern, its delicate fronds being much used for cut-flower work. **Price, 15c each.**

Pteris Argyrea—Silver Fern. A very showy Fern, with variegated foliage, fronds large, light green, with a broad band of silver-white down the center of each. Very distinct. **Price, 15c each.**

Pteris Tremula, or Shaking Fern—One of the finest Ferns for house decoration, growing very rapidly, and throwing up large, handsome fronds. It makes magnificent specimens, easily grown and very popular. **Price, 15c each.**

The Popular Boston Sword Fern, Nephrolepsis Exaltata Bostoniensis—In the vicinity of Boston no other plant is used so extensively as this graceful Nephrolepsis, which differs from the ordinary Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of four feet. These fronds arch and droop over very gracefully, on account of which it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. This drooping habit makes it an excellent plant to grow as a single specimen on a table or pedestal. **Price, nice plants, 10c each.**

Boston Sword Fern.

SELAGINELLA EMILIANA.

A new, upright-growing Moss with numerous feathery stems branching from the base and forming a dense tuft. Well grown plants attain a height of 12 to 15 inches. We know of no moss superior to it. **Price, 10c each.**

CYCAS REVOLUTA—SAGO PALM.

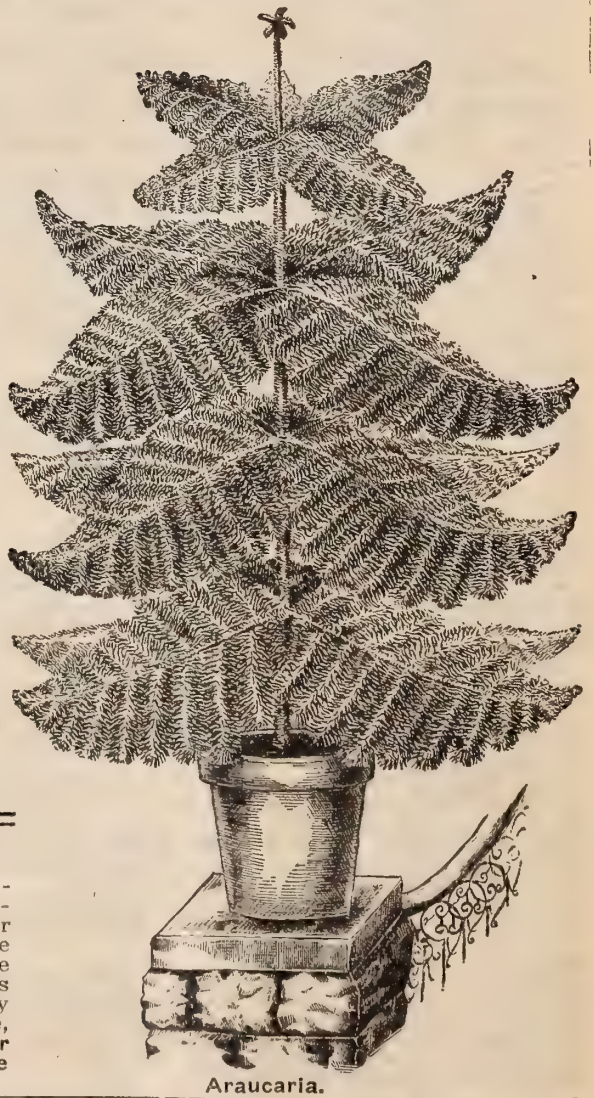
The Cycas makes a magnificent specimen plant, and one of the most valuable plants grown for the decoration of the lawn or house. Their heavy, glossy, deep green fronds resist alike the gas, dust and cold to which decorative plants are frequently exposed. **Price, fine shapely plants, $1.00 each; large plants, $1.50 each. By express only.**

Ficus Elastica.

FICUS ELASTICA,

India Rubber Tree.

Very large, smooth, leathery leaves, evergreen foliage. It is generally esteemed one of the finest house plants grown, the plant attaining a large size and tree shape. Each new leaf is enclosed in a long, coral-red envelope, looking like a great red flower bud. **Price, fine plants, 50c; fine specimen plants, by express only, $1.00.**



Araucaria.

ARAUCARIA EXCELSA. NORFOLK ISLAND PINE.

As a decorative plant for the house this is one of the handsomest and most serviceable. It has deep green, feathery foliage, arranged in whorls, rising one above the other at regular distances; its symmetry of form, grace and beauty of foliage are unequaled in the vegetable kingdom. It is easily grown in the house and is highly ornamental. Our importation of these this year was exceptionally large and fine selected stock, especially in the medium size, for which there is always a demand. **Price, nice plants, 12 to 15 inches high, 3 tiers, $1.00 each; larger plants, 18 to 20 inches high, 4 and 5 tiers, $1.50 each. Must be sent by express.**

PALMS

Have become an almost indispensable feature in all decorations, whether for apartments, conservatories, or for tropical bedding in Summer. The following varieties are of easy culture in the parlor or conservatory. No home should be without one or more.

Kentia Belmoreana.

KENTIA BELMOREANA

The Kentias are among the best of the Palm species for general cultivation, being almost impregnable against diseases. This variety is one of the best in its class—graceful habit, bright green foliage, gracefully disposed; as a decorative plant for the window, dinner table or conservatory it scarcely has an equal. **Price, nice plants from 3-inch pots, 25c; 4-inch, 50c; larger, by express, 18 inches high, $1; 24 inches high, $1.50.**

KENTIA FOSTERIANA

This is one of the finest plants imaginable, and the easiest to grow of any of the Palm family. Being almost hardy, it is not injured by slight changes in temperature, and its stiff, glossy leaves enable it to stand the dry, hot air of the living room without injury. The leaves are deep, glossy green, fan-shaped, split deeply into segments. This is without exception, the most hardy of its class. It is very graceful for table decoration. Scarcely has its equal **Price, nice plants from 3-inch pots, 25c; 4-inch, 50c; larger by express, 18 inches high, $1; 24 inches high $1.50.**

Pandanus Utilis.

PANDANUS UTILIS

For majesty of form and gracefully arranged foliage, this is without a peer, while its vigorous constitution enables it to stand more neglect, without serious injury, than almost any other plant we know of. As an ornament for the window, its glossy, dark-green, serrated foliage renders it unusually attractive, while as a vase plant or single specimen in greenhouse or conservatory it cannot be surpassed. It is also largely used to decorate the halls in our finest private residences, and shows grandly on the lawn when grown to sufficient size. **Price, 25c and 50c each.**

Latania Borbonica.

LATANIA BORBONICA

Leaves large, fan-shaped, of a very cheerful green color; plant of hard constitution, and adapted to all decorative purposes within or without doors; appreciated by all the plant-loving community. **Price, 25c; large size, by express, 4-inch pots, 50c; 5-inch pots, $1; 6-inch pots, $1.50.**

Phoenix Canariensis.

PHOENIX CANARIENSIS

(The Canary Island Date Palm.)

No other Palm has gained so speedily in public favor the last few years as this handsome habitue of the Canary Islands. This Palm belongs to the pinnate class, which means that its branches are feather-shaped. These branches are long, gracefully arched, and are borne in luxuriant abundance. **Price, 18 inches high, $1; 24 inches, $1.50.**

LARGE FIELD-GROWN CARNATIONS

Unrivaled in their delicately rich and refreshing fragrance, unequaled for brilliancy, richness and diversity of colors, unapproached for daintiness and beauty of outline. The Carnation is a favorite flower among all classes.

We here offer you in best variety, some fine, large, healthy, Field-Grown Plants, ready for Fall and Winter Blooming. Price, ten cents each; any six for fifty cents.

AMERICA.

A soft shade of scarlet. Habit, medium height with a compact growth. A fine sized flower, well formed, nicely filled, and not crowded with petals. Good calyx and long, stiff stem. It is one of the early bloomers. Very free and of easy culture.

BOBOLINK.

One of the most showy of the whole collection of fancy Carnations. Flowers very large and full, with center petal standing erect, giving the bloom a beautiful, well-rounded form. Habit of plant strong and vigorous. An even and constant bloomer from early till late. Pinkish cream color striped with crimson. A lovely variegated Carnation, admired by all who have seen it.

DOROTHY.

It is a bright pure pink, about the shade of Scott, produced just as freely, and has no equal in keeping qualities. Flowers much larger than Scott, finely formed and nicely serrated.

ELDORADO.

A yellow of free-blooming habit; strong, vigorous plant, erect stems; finely formed flower of fair size, very free. Petals edged with a narrow band of light pink; almost a Picotte in marking. The flower retains its yellow color under artificial light, unlike most yellow varieties.

ETHEL CROCKER.

Peach pink, beautiful color; decided favorite with a great many growers. A good bloomer all through the season; extremely free.

FLORA HILL.

"The Queen of the Whites." It is the grandest white and the most prolific bloomer of the Carnation family that has been raised up to this time. The flower is of enormous size, full and double; has a good calyx; not subject to rust; under the most ordinary culture, produces good flowers throughout the entire season.

GENEVIEVE LORD.

As large as the largest light pink ever offered. A few blooms last season measured nearly four inches. It has taken first prizes wherever offered.

G. H. CRANE.

Regarded by many as the finest scarlet Carnation. In color it is the most intensely brilliant scarlet, showing no tendency to fade; stems long and firm, holding the flowers upright. A vigorous, healthy grower, producing quantities of monstrous-sized blooms.

MRS. FRANCIS JOOST.

This has proved to be one of the most satisfactory and profitable Carnations introduced in years. Color a soft shade of pink. It is a strong, vigorous grower, and is generally recognized to be one of the most profitable Carnations.

PORTIA.

A new and valuable addition to the list of Carnations. Flowers are of a brilliant scarlet, and remarkably sweet scented; on this account the flowers are always in great demand.

WILLIAM SCOTT.

A Carnation that everybody grows; very free flowering and easily grown. It is a beautifully fringed, delicate light pink, of good size. Very fragrant and will keep for weeks after being cut.

WHITE CLOUD.

This undoubtedly is the very finest white Carnation grown today. Flowers are very large size and of splendid form, with strong stems holding the flower perfectly erect. The stem is faultless—perfectly rigid and very long.

Hardy Scotch, or Sweet May Pinks

These are more dwarf than the Carnation, growing about one foot in height, the colors being of the various shades of maroon, carmine and rose, beautifully laced and banded on white ground, flowers perfectly double, clove-scented, and the plants will stand out of doors year after year, being entirely hardy. **Price, 8c each; four for 25c.**

Double White Pink, Her Majesty—Unquestionably one of the finest of the century, and one that will hold its own as long as Pinks are cultivated.

Gertrude—White; rich maroon and carmine markings.

Juliette—Deep cherry-red, variegated with pink and pale silvery white; very fine.

Brunette—Center very dark and velvety, almost black.

CHINESE PRIMROSES.

Few plants give better satisfaction than the Primrose, especially for Winter blooming, for which it is particularly adapted. It should be kept in a cool place—a north room is best. There is no plant that will produce more flowers during Winter than the Primrose. Our Primroses are large flowered and beautifully fringed. **Price, 10c each; the set of 5 for 40c.**

Alba Magnifica—This new white Primula is of magnificent form and substance, and a great improvement on the old varieties. The flowers measure 2¼ inches in diameter, are a pure white, with a large, bright yellow eye, each petal being deeply and beautifully fringed.

Azure Blue—The color is a beautiful rich blue, and the flowers of elegant form and substance.

Coccinea—Bright red, large flowers, beautifully fringed.

Kirmesina Splendens—Bright carmine pink, with distinct yellow eye.

Rubra—Purplish red, white eye; fine, strong grower.

PRIMULA OBCONICA.

Always in Bloom.

This is a charming new plant for Winter. In fact, we know of none that is better adapted to home culture than this one. It is not susceptible to changes of temperature that most plants are subject to. It bears its elegant panicles and sprays of bloom of a delicate pink and white in the greatest profusion. It is certainly elegant. We offer both white and pink. **Price, 10c each; two for 15c.**

LINUM TRIGYNUM.

A Winter-blooming plant of great beauty, producing in the greatest profusion very large and showy blossoms of bright yellow color. The plant is a complete mass of bloom for a long time during Winter, and is one of the most beautiful Winter bloomers it is possible to have. The flowers are about the size of a Morning Glory, and no matter how small the plant is, it will bloom profusely. **Price, 10c each.**

SMILAX.

For using as a green with cut flowers this vine has no equal, its hard texture enabling it to keep for several days without wilting after being cut. It is also fine as a parlor or window plant. **Price, 10c each.**

GERMAN, or PARLOR IVY.

A rapid-growing and succulent plant, well adapted for covering trellis work quickly or training in the parlor. Leaves glossy green and flowers yellow, in clusters. **Price, 10c each.**

IVY CANARIENSIS—English Ivy.

An excellent variety for cultivation in the house, being a free grower, and very beautiful, broad, glossy green leaves. **Price, 10c; larger size, 25c.**

Chinese Primrose.

THE CHARMING

EVER-BLOOMING IMPATIENS.

This is the most distinct and beautiful of all flowering plants of recent introduction, either as a Winter-blooming pot plant or for the border in the Summer. It is of compact, neat habit of growth, with good constitution, and a perpetual bloomer. Indeed, it is never without bloom. It will produce more flowers than any plant we have in our vast collection. The flowers are of a brilliant, rosy-scarlet color, of a peculiarly distinct, but most effective hue, and are produced singly or in twos and threes from the axils of the leaves, especially toward the summit of the stems, but so freely that a well-grown specimen appears to be quite a ball of fire. We recommend this highly. **Price, 10c each; three for 25c.**

IMPATIENS—THE QUEEN.

We are among the first to offer this beautiful and rare novelty in Impatiens, which is given to the public this year for the first time. In form and foliage it is like Sultani, but color of flower is a handsome shade of salmon, tinged with pink. **Price, 10c each; 3 for 25c.**

SWAINSONIA GALEGIFOLIA ALBA

A native of Australia; extremely graceful; trained at a window or on a trellis, presents a lovely sight of light green foliage, and a splendid profusion of sprays of large milk-white flowers, resembling Sweet Peas in form. **15c each.**

NEW SWAINSONIA SPLENDENS

Same as above, with bright scarlet flowers. This is the only true scarlet variety. **Price, 15c each.**

The two Swainsonias for 25c.

Swainsonia Alba

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS NANUS.

One of the handsomest of our foliage plants. The leaves are a bright green, gracefully arched, and as finely woven as the finest silken mesh. Their lasting quality when cut is remarkable, retaining their freshness for weeks, hence it ranks as the most valuable plant we have for this purpose, surpassing Maiden Hair Fern in grace, fineness of texture and richness of color. **Price, 15c each.**

ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI.

Not only is it useful for cutting in sprays for fine cut-flower work, more particularly in connection with large roses, etc., but grown in suspended pots it makes one of the prettiest decorative house plants we know of. Used in decorations, as, for example, in the decoration of mantels, nothing can equal it. **Price, 10c each.**

Umbrella Plant

Umbrella Plant

(Cyperus Alternifolius.)

An ornamental grass, throwing up stems about 2 feet high, surmounted at the top with a whorl of leaves, diverging horizontally, giving it a very curious appearance. It is splendid for the center of vases or as a water plant. **10c each; 3 for 25c.**

RUSSELIA JUNCEA.

A rare and not well-known plant, suitable either for garden or pot culture, and requiring the same treatment as a Geranium. In growth it produces numerous long, wiry stems which are virtually leafless. Upon these stems and branches the flowers are borne. They are about the size of a Manettia, long, trumpet-shaped and brilliant scarlet in color. These lovely blossoms are borne in wonderful profusion during most of the year. It is one of the easiest of all plants to grow, and is particularly valuable for baskets. **Price, 10c each.**

SAXAFRAGA SARMENTOSA

Or Beefsteak Plant.

A handsome plant of low habit, leaves nearly round and striped freely with silvery bands. Blooms white, of great beauty, and borne in spikes nearly twelve inches high. Adapted for hanging baskets, vases, etc. This is also known as Strawberry Geranium. **Price, 10c each.**

OLEANDERS.

These old-fashioned shrubs are becoming immensely popular again. No plant makes more handsome specimens in tubs for the veranda or yard. Can be wintered in the cellar. **Price, 10c each.**

Oleander Rosea—Has double pink flowers. The old favorite; very sweet.

Lillian Henderson—Has double white flowers of the largest size. Fragrant like the old double pink; scarce.

HYDRANGEAS

New Hydrangea,
OTAKSA MONSTROSA.

A grand novelty. Color of bloom intense rose, shaded white; borne in much larger clusters than in Otaksa, quite small plants bearing blooms of enormous size, and which are very lasting in quality. The variety is free in growth and very free in the production of bloom; one of the finest novelties of the year. **Price, 10c each.**

Red-Branched Hydrangea,
RAMUS PICTUS.

We consider this variety the most elegant Hydrangea for pot culture or for tubs grown. It is much handsomer than Otaksa, the foliage being darker green, with black stems, making it very distinct. Flowers rosy-carmine, changing to blue, the dark green foliage and purple-black stems being in contrast with rosy-carmine flowers. **Price, 15c each.**

Pure White Hydrangea,
THOMAS HOGG.

A pure white variety, with trusses of flowers measuring fifteen inches in diameter. The plants, when full grown, attain a length and width of six feet. Perfectly hardy, and is one of the finest plants for cemeteries. **Price, 10c each.**

HYDRANGEA HORTENSIS.

A well-known and favorite old plant, producing large heads of pink flowers in great profusion. It thrives best in a shaded situation, with a plentiful supply of water. **Price, 10c.**

Hydrangea, Otaksa Monstrosa

THREE BEAUTIFUL PLUMBAGOS

Light Blue, Cream White and Carmine.

The Plumbagos are always satisfactory plants, either for pot culture or for the garden. They are constant bloomers, and their delicate and graceful flowers are very useful for cutting.

Capensis—A well-known favorite, and always valuable because it produces large trusses of beautiful light-blue flowers. **Price, 10c each.**

Capensis Alba—The counterpart of Plumbago Capensis, excepting in color, which is creamy-white. A constant bloomer; a splendid new sort. **Price, 10c each.**

Coccinea Rosea Superba—Flowers in large racemes from 12 to 15 inches in length; the color is bright satiny-carmine; a grand house plant, and worthy of extended culture. **Price, 10c each.**

OTAHEITE ORANGE

A grand pot plant and one of great beauty and novelty. It blooms most freely during the Winter, though it is likely to bloom at any and all times of the year. The fruit is about one-half the size of ordinary oranges and very sweet and delicious. **Price, 10c each.**

SANSEVIERA ZEYLANICA

This beautiful house plant is well adapted for decoration of sitting rooms, halls, etc., as it withstands dust and neglect of watering with impunity. Leaves grow to a length of 3 to 4 feet; beautifully striped crosswise with broad, white variegation on a dark green ground. A rare and beautiful plant, and should be abundantly grown for positions out of sunlight where other plants do not thrive. **Price, small plants, 10c each; large, handsome plants, 25c each.**

Violets

Of all the delightful perfumes, that of the Sweet Violets is the most delicate and pleasing. If grown in the house for Winter flowers, they should be kept at a low temperature, as they will not bloom freely where it is too warm. If left in the open ground during Winter protect with a covering of leaves.

Violet Swanley White.

SWANLEY WHITE

This violet is no doubt the best white variety known; equally desirable for house or garden culture; vigorous and healthy, bearing in great profusion large, pure snow-white, perfectly double flowers, exquisitely fragrant. **Price, 10c each.**

Pittosporum Tobira.

PITTOSPORUM TOBIRA.

An evergreen Winter-blooming shrub, of easy culture, producing small, white flowers of exquisite fragrance, not unlike the orange. Suitable for house culture. Nice plants from three-inch pots. **Price, 20c each.**

HARDY DOUBLE ENGLISH VIOLET

This Violet is entirely hardy, perfectly double, a deep violet purple color and most deliciously fragrant. It surpasses the well-known "Marie Louise" Violet in richness of color, being many shades darker, and far excels it in its delightful odor; this is one of its greatest merits. Nothing is more appropriate for cemetery plots than the Hardy Double English Violet. **Price, 10c each.**

MARIE LOUISE

(Baby Blue Violet.)

To contrast with white, we offer this double, deep bluish-purple, sweet-scented variety. Desirable for pots or gardens. Plants hardy and bloom freely. This variety is planted more largely by florists than any other. **Price, 10c each.**

PRINCESS OF WALES

New French Violet. It is of hardy, vigorous growth and wonderfully free blooming. Large, heavy foliage. The grand single flowers are true blue, of a round, symmetrical form, almost as large as Pansies, and delicately fragrant. **Price, 10c each.**

Winter-Flowering Jasmines

The Jasmine is a favorite greenhouse or house plant everywhere North, while in the South it is perfectly hardy. It is the idol of the poets, and one of the sweetest flowers. Among the species are found equally desirable subjects for decorating the greenhouse and the outdoor border, combining in every instance freedom and elegance with most delicious fragrance.

Grandiflorum—Foliage fine, flowers white, star-shaped, fragrant, blooms from November until May. **Price, 10c.**

Gracillima—A flowering shoot is produced from every joint, which terminates in a dense cluster of pure white, fragrant flowers; in bloom from October to February. **Price, 8c each.**

Poetica—Similar to Jasmine Grand. Flowers smaller but borne on large spikes. Makes a valuable climbing plant, though if desired can be grown in bush form. **Price, 10c each.**

Revolutum—A strong climbing plant, with glossy leaves and single, deep yellow, fragrant blossoms. A beautiful plant and easily grown. Almost hardy in this latitude. **Price, 10c.**

Maid of Orleans—In this beautiful Jasmine there are combined some sterling qualities that place it a peer over existing sorts. Of easy culture, fine grower, good bloomer, elegant fragrance, and double flowers of chaste and waxy-white appearance. If you have only one Jasmine, let it be this one. **Price, 10c each.**

CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS FOR FALL PLANTING

For Garden, Parlor, Conservatory and Green House.

Many hardy sorts of flower seeds succeed best if sown in the open border during August, September and October. They should be sown early enough to make pretty good plants before very cold weather. Then they will flower freely the next Summer. Besides the hardy sorts suited to Fall sowing in the garden, our list below embraces many tender varieties which should be sown in pots or shallow wooden boxes of finely sifted soil for Winter and Spring blooming in the house.

Those marked with an asterisk (*) are hardy perennials.

***Allegheny Vine** (Mountain Fringe or Adlumia Cirrhosa)—This is a hardy climbing plant, native of the Allegheny Mountains; very attractive and picturesque; dainty, feathery, pale green foliage, flowers delicate rose-pink and white. **Packet, 6c.**

Alyssum, Sweet—Flowers all Winter in the house if sown in the Fall. Pure white. **Per packet, 3c.**

Alyssum, Little Gem—Especially adapted for edging. **Per packet, 6c.**

***Alyssum, Hardy—Per packet, 3c.**

***Ampelopsis**—(Virginia Creeper or Japanese Ivy.) **Per packet, 3c.**

***Ameria Maritima** (Thrift or Sea Pink)—These handsome plants are well adapted for ornamenting rock work and edging walks. May also be grown in pots. Hardy perennials; six inches high. **Packet, 3c.**

***Anemone**—(Windflower.) A very pleasing, hardy perennial; easily grown from seed; mixed colors; double. **Per packet, 6c.**

***Asters, Perennial Mixed**—Single flowering; hardy herbaceous plant, thriving in any good garden soil. **Per packet, 6c.**

***Auricula**—(Primula Auricula.) A well-known favorite of great beauty, half-hardy perennial; 6 inches; mixed. **Per packet, 8c.**

***Candytuft, Iberis**—Extra fine for cemetery use, as plants are a solid mass of white at just the time when flowers are most scarce. **Per packet, 6c.**

Calceolaria Hybrida—Large flowering, tigered and spotted flower; fine mixture of brilliant colors. **Per packet, 15c.**

Carnation, German Extra Fine, Double Mixed—First quality. **Packet, 8c.**

***Centaurea Gymnocarpa**—Silver gray foliage; drooping habit, very graceful. **Per packet, 3c.**

Cineraria, Choicest Mixed—From the best named varieties. **Per packet, 15c.**

Coleus, Finest Hybrids Mixed—Beautiful plants for bedding, can be grown in the house in Winter. **Per packet, 18c.**

***Columbine, Mixed Double**—Hardy perennial, best and finest colors. **Per packet, 5c.**

Chrysanthemums—Perennial Mixed. Packet, 10c.

Cyclamen—There are few handsomer plants than the Cyclamen. The heart-shaped foliage is beautifully shaded and marked, and the charming flowers, borne on long foot-stalks above the crown of foliage, shows exquisite shades of white, crimson, blush and pink, most flowers showing two colors. A good specimen will have from twenty to fifty flowers in full bloom at one time, and the plants remain in bloom for months together. Extra fine strain, all colors mixed. **Price, packet, 10c.**

***Daisy, Double Mixed—Per packet, 7c.**

Dianthus—Chinensis fl. pl.—(Double China Pink.) **Per packet, 3c.**

Dianthus—Plumarius, Double Mixed—(Double Pheasant's Eye. Pink.) **Per packet, 5c.**

***Dianthus — Plumarius, Single Mixed** — (Feathered Pheasant's Eye. Pink.) **Per packet, 3c.**

***Feverfew**—Double white Bachelor's Button. **Per packet, 6c.**

***Forget-Me-Not**—(Myosotis Alpestris.) Blue flowers, with small yellowish eyes. Seed sown in Autumn will flower early in Spring. Hardy perennial. **Per packet, 6c.**

***Foxglove (Digitalis) Splendid Mixed**—Sow in Fall; hardy biennials or perennials. **Per packet, 3c.**

***Golden Rod**—America's national flower; the favorite yellow wild beauty; hardy perennial, two to three feet. **Per packet, 3c.**

Heliotrope, Mixed—Very fragrant, splendid for pot culture. **Per packet, 8c.**

***Hardy Hibiscus, Crimson Eye—Packet, 6c.**

***Hollyhocks**—The flowers are as double as a rose, and embrace all the shades of red, pink, yellow, crimson, white, etc. Mixed colors. **Per packet, 6c.**

Lantana Hybrida—A very pretty perennial plant, suitable to outdoor use in Summer and to house culture. **Per packet, 5c.**

***Larkspur**—Perennial. **Per packet, 5c.**

***Lathyrus**—Everlasting Pea; mixed. **Per packet, 5c.**

Lemon Verbena—The leaves are delightfully fragrant and refreshing. It grows easy from seed and lives from year to year. **Per packet, 7c.**

Mignonette, Sweet—Seeds sown in Fall bloom early in Spring. **Per packet, 3c.**

Nasturtium, Dwarf Mixed—Many colors. **Packet, 3c; ounce, 10c.**

Nasturtium, Tall Mixed—Many colors. **Packet, 3c.; ounce, 10c.**

***Hardy Phlox**—(Phlox Decussata.) These rank amongst the finest herbaceous plants for beds or borders. Mixture of finest sorts. **Per packet, 7c.**

Primula, Sinensis Fimbriata—Fringed Chinese Primrose. The seed we offer is saved from one of the finest collections, and always give good satisfaction. **Per packet, 8c.**

***Rocket, Sweet, Mixed Colors**—Fragrant purple and white flowers; hardy perennials, two to three feet. **Per packet, 3c.**

***Sweet William, Single Mixed**—Rich flowers. **Per packet, 3c.**

***Sweet William, Double Mixed**—Very attractive and effective. **Per packet, 6c.**

***Valeriana**—Hardy Heliotrope. **Per packet, 3c.**

***Violet**—(Viola Odorata.) Well known, fragrant, early Spring blooming plant for edging, groups or borders. **Per packet, 6c.**

Wild Cucumber Vine—(Lobata Echinocystis.) One of the quickest growing vines we know of; splendid for covering old trees, fences, etc. Plant seed in November. **Per packet, 5c.**

PANSIES.

If sown outside in October will bloom the following Spring. Grown indoors, they make fine Winter-blooming pot plants. Brown, Light Blue, Purple, Wallflower Brown, Black, Mahogany, Red, White, Dark Blue, Mourning Bride, Striped, Yellow. **Per packet, 3c; any four packets, 10c; or the whole collection for 25c.**

Fine Mixed—Choicest kinds. **Per packet, 5c.**

Giant Trimardeau Pansies—An altogether distinct and beautiful class of pansy, the flowers of which are of very large size; some have measured four inches in diameter. Each flower is marked with three large blotches or spots, and stands well above the foliage. Choice mixed colors. **Per packet, 10c.**

English, Choice Mixed—From a splendid English collection of the largest flowering varieties. **Packet, 5c.**

Mixture of Scarlet and Red—Packet, 10c.

SWEET PEAS.

When Sweet Peas are wanted in bloom for Winter or early Spring, they should be planted indoors early in September, and to have the best results, the temperature should not exceed 45 degrees at night, to keep them stocky and firm. They should have plenty of air during the day and a full exposure to the sun. Splendid success may be obtained from sowing Sweet Peas in October or November. A perfectly drained soil so situated as not to be subject to too frequent or severe freezing should be selected, and the seed covered about three inches deep. While you cannot be sure of success from Fall sowing, yet it is worth while to take the risk for the advantage of having blooms about a month earlier than you could get them from outdoor sowing made in the Spring.

Our Grand Large-Flowering Mixed Sweet Peas.

The finest mixture possible, as only the large-flowered or "Grandiflora" type (Eckford's) is used. More than 100 different colors. They are perfectly magnificent. **Packet, 3c; ounce, 10c; one-fourth pound, 25c.**

Choice and Rare Fruits.

We have carefully prepared a limited list of varieties which are perfectly adapted to all parts of the country. The trees we offer are young and thrifty, and will make a very rapid growth and bear quickly.

All fruits must be sent by express, unless otherwise stated.

When offered by mail, postage is paid by us; if by express or freight, charges are to be paid by purchaser; but larger stock will be sent.

SHIPPING—All fruits can be shipped any time after October 1st to 15th.

SPECIAL NOTICE—As our Nursery is a separate and distinct department from our Greenhouses, it is necessary that all Fruit Orders be shipped direct from the Nursery, and we therefore ask customers to kindly keep fruit orders separate from the Plant and Seed Orders. **Fruits will not be shipped with other plants.**

Prices on Fruits are placed very low, and we cannot allow them to be included in Club Rates, nor can they be taken as premiums. Price per 100 will be given on application.

THE BEST APPLES

The List we offer is the very choice of the long list of varieties and in selecting any of the sorts named you will make no mistake. The OPALESCENT, BISMARCK and GREENVILLE are new varieties of great value and should be in every collection.

"THE OPALESCENT."

All who have examined the Opalescent regard it as the handsomest apple grown. It is not only highly colored, but susceptible of a very high polish, **reflecting objects near it like a mirror.** This feature makes it a highly prized sort for fruit stands. The flesh is yellowish, tender, juicy and good, size large to very large, and color light, shading to very dark crimson. Season, December to March. Sold only under Copyright label, duly registered in the Patent Office at Washington. You will make no mistake by planting largely of this valuable new variety. **Price, 75c each; 6 for $4.00; 12 for $7.50. Mailing size, 35c each, postpaid.**

BISMARK, THE APPLE NOVELTY.

Tree is dwarf form; bears at two years old; can be planted in pots or planted 6 feet apart in door yard. Every one should try it.

Tree of short, stocky growth; thick, healthy foliage; makes beautiful specimens grown in pots for decorative purposes. Fruit large, handsome, yellow, sometimes shaded red cheek; flesh tender, pleasant subacid. Entirely new in its remarkable quality of producing crops on young trees, seldom failing to bear when two years old. **Price of trees, 35c each; $3.00 per dozen. Mailing size, postpaid, 30c.**

GREENVILLE.

This variety is identical with Fall Maiden Blush, except in time of ripening and keeping qualities, it being a winter apple and a splendid keeper. The value of such a variety cannot be over-estimated. This fine apple was produced from seed of the Fall Maiden Blush by Jason Downing, in Darke County, Ohio, in the Spring of 1874. It made a vigorous growth, and at the age of seven years it bore excellent fruit, from which time it has produced fruit annually. In 1888, at the age of fourteen years from seed, it yielded 15 bushels of picked apples. We have been noting the behavior of this apple, growing it both in nursery and orchard, and from the weight of testimony in its favor we have decided to grow it in quantities to supply the increased demand. **Price, 35c each; $3.00 per dozen. Mailing size, postpaid, 30c.**

GENERAL LIST OF APPLES.

Prices.

	Each.	Doz.
Large Trees, 5 to 7 feet	$0.30	$3.00
Medium Trees, 4 to 5 feet	.25	2.50

By express only.

BEST SUMMER APPLES.

Early Harvest—Medium size, straw color; tender and sub-acid. July and August.

Red Astrachan—Large, red, juicy; a good bearer and beautiful. August.

Sweet Bough—Large; pale greenish-yellow; tender and sweet; good bearer.

Yellow Transparent—Earliest ripening apple known; medium size, light, transparent; flesh juicy, pleasant.

BEST FALL APPLES.

Duchess of Oldenburg—Medium, yellow striped with red; rich, very good.

Fall Pippin—Large, golden-yellow, rich, creamy.

Maiden's Blush—Large waxen-yellow, rich, crisp, excellent.

Rambo—Medium, yellowish with red, and somewhat dotted; mild, tender and productive.

Red Bietigheimer—Large, bright red all over; rich, crisp, sub-acid, excellent, productive.

BEST WINTER APPLES.

Arkansas Black—Very productive, dark red, quality one of the best.

Ben Davis—(New York Pippin.) Large, nearly all red.

Baldwin—Large, roundish, dark red, sub-acid, good; productive, popular. Mid-winter.

Hubbardston Nonesuch — Large, roundish, yellow striped and splashed with red, very rich, sweet.

King—Large, yellow striped and splashed with brilliant red; tender, excellent quality.

Northern Spy—Large, greenish-yellow, striped red; rich, good keeper, abundant bearer.

Rhode Island Greening—Large, yellowish-green, tender, rich, very good, productive.

Rome Beauty—Large, pale yellow, mostly covered with rich red; tender, juicy, good.

Roxbury Russet—(Boston Russet.) Largest of all russets; sub-acid, extra quality, productive, profitable.

Stark—Grown in Ohio; valuable as to long-keeping qualities; fruit large; skin greenish-yellow, striped with red.

Talman's Sweet—Medium size; pale yellow; very firm, rich and very sweet.

Winesap—Dark red; excellent bearer.

Wealthy—Hardy and very productive; skin smooth, shaded with red in the sun.

Wagener—Large; deep red in sun; flesh firm; productive.

York Imperial—Medium to large, white, heavily shaded with dark crimson; firm, crisp, juicy, sub-acid, good quality.

CRAB APPLES.

Hylsop—Large, deep crimson; popular on account of being large and beautiful.

Siberian—Nearly as large as the above; fine gold and amber color.

Transcendent—Immensely productive, bearing a good crop in fourth year; one of the best.

REMEMBER, NO EXTRAS ARE ALLOWED ON FRUIT ORDERS.

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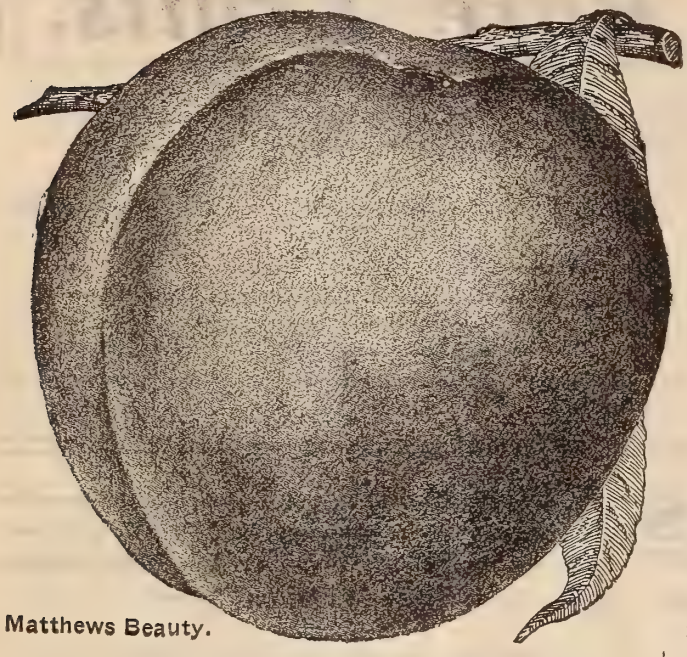

Matthews Beauty.

Prices of Standard Varieties.

(By Express Only.)

	Each.	Doz.	100.
Large Trees, 4 to 6 feet.....	$0.15	$1.50	$12.00
Medium Trees, 2 to 4 feet.....	.10	1.00	8.00

Alexander,
Amsden's June,
Beer's Smock,
Crawford's Early,
Crawford's Late,
Crosby,
Champion,
Early Canada,
Elberta,
Fitzgerald,
Foster,
Globe,
Gold Drop,
Hill's Chili,
Heath Cling,
Kalamazoo,
Lemon Free,
Mountain Rose,
Oldmixon Free,
Matthews Beauty.
Lorentz,
Salway,
Steadly,
Stump the World.
Triumph,
Wager,
Ward's Late,
Wheatland,
Wonderful,
Yellow St. John.

The Logan Berry.

A hybrid between the Raspberry and Blackberry. The fruit is as large as the largest Blackberry, and is produced in immense clusters. The color is clear, dark red. It partakes of the flavor of both the Blackberry and the Raspberry—mild, pleasant, vinous flavor, delicious and peculiar to this berry alone. Seeds small, soft and few. Berries very firm, and carry well. Strong grower; enormous bearer. Fruit ripens early, just after Strawberries. **Pice, 20c each; $2 per dozen, by mail, postpaid.**

Japanese Raspberry (Wineberry.)

Ornamental in fruit and plant. Canes covered with purplish red hairs; leaves dark green, silvery gray beneath. Fruit in large clusters and each berry at first tightly enveloped by the large calyx, forming a sort of burr, which is covered with purplish red hairs. These gradually open and turn back, exposing a beautiful wine-colored fruit of medium size, brisk sub-acid, retaining flavor when cooked; highly esteemed for canning, preserves, jellies, etc. **Price, 10c each; $1.00 per dozen, postpaid.**

Improved Dwarf Juneberry.

A good substitute for the large or swamp huckleberry, or whortleberry, which it resembles in appearance and quality. The fruit is borne in clusters, and is reddish purple in color, changing to a bluish black. In flavor it is a mild, rich sub-acid; excellent as a dessert or fruit canned. The bushes are extremely hardy, enduring the cold of the far North and the heat of Summer without injury. When this fruit becomes better known to the public, it will be very popular. It is much larger and better flavored than the wild Juneberries. **Price, 10c each; 75c per dozen, postpaid.**

PLUMS.

By Express or Freight; too Large for Mailing.

PRICES:

	Each.	Doz.
Large Trees, 5 to 7 feet.....	$0.35	$3.50
Medium Trees, 4 to 5 feet.....	.30	3.00

Abundance—The fruit is very large, showy and beautiful, amber-colored, turning to rich, bright cherry, with decided white bloom, highly perfumed; flesh light yellow, exceedingly juicy and tender, and of delicious sweetness.

Burbank—Tree is universally vigorous, has strong branches and begins to bear, usually, when two years old. The skin of the fruit is thick and almost curculio-proof. An admirable shipping variety.

Bradshaw—Fruit very large, dark, violet-red; flesh yellowish-green.

Bavay's Green Gage—(Reine Claude Bavay). Fruit large, roundish, oval; skin greenish, marked with red in the sun.

Coe's Golden Drop—Large and handsome, light yellow, firm, rich, sweet.

Guii—Very large; deep purple, covered with thick bloom; flesh yellow, sweet and pleasant.

German Prune—A large, long, oval variety, much esteemed for drying; color dark purple.

Imperial Gage—Fruit large, oval; skin pale green; flesh juicy, sweet, rich and excellent.

Italian Prune—Large, juicy; abundant bearer; tree very hardy; profitable.

Lombard—Medium, violet-red; juicy, sweet and good.

Moore's Arctic—Remarkable for hardiness and freedom from Curculio; a great bearer; dark purple; flavor very fine.

Niagara—Very large, reddish-purple, entirely covered with green bloom.

Shipper's Pride—Large blue Plum, very hardy, productive.

Pond's Seedling—Abundant bearer; light red, changing to violet.

Prince Englebert—Large, oblong oval; deep purple and covered with a deep blue bloom; flesh yellowish-green, juicy, sugary.

Red June—A vigorous, hardy, upright, spreading tree, as productive as Abundance. Fruit medium to large, deep vermilion-red, handsome bloom, very showy; flesh light lemon-yellow, slightly sub-acid, of good and pleasant quality.

Shropshire Damson—A Plum of fine quality; larger than the common Damson.

Wickson—A sturdy, upright grower, productive almost to a fault. Fruit remarkably handsome, deep maroon-red, covered with white bloom; stone small, flesh fine texture, firm, sugary and delicious. Excellent keeper and shipper; will keep two weeks.

Willard—Japanese; it is highly praised by leading horticulturists as one of the best of this class. Tree is a good grower, immensely productive; much earlier than Abundance, and of good quality.

Wild Goose—Fruit large, clear, bright vinous-red; firm, juicy and sweet.

Washington—Very large, yellow-red; flesh firm, very juicy and excellent.

Burbank Plum.

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For Club Raisers and Customers of 1903.

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$10.00 WORTH OF PLANTS OR SEEDS

To Each of the 5 Persons who Send us the 5 LARGEST TOTAL AMOUNTS of Cash Remittances.

$8 WORTH of PLANTS or SEEDS

To each of the 10 persons who send the next 10 largest total amounts of cash remittances.

$5 WORTH of PLANTS or SEEDS

To each of the 15 persons who send the next 15 largest total amounts of cash remittances.

$3 WORTH of PLANTS or SEEDS

To each of the 20 persons who send the next 20 largest total amounts of cash remittances.

$2 WORTH of PLANTS or SEEDS

To each of the 25 persons who send the next 25 largest total amounts of cash remittances.

Orders can be sent in as you receive them, or you can send all in one order. After December 1st the amounts sent will be added together, and January 1st, we will mail to each of the fortunate prize winners a certificate good for amouut due them from our next Spring Catalogue.

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Our Guarantee of safe delivery applies to every order, and you can assure everyone that the plants will be delivered to them in good condition

Always Give Plain Shipping Directions and give names of your club members so that we can pack each ones order ready for your delivery. If you desire any order sent by us direct to club member we will do so provided the order amounts to $1.00 or more. In this case be sure to give full and correct address.

We believe you need no further instructions than to take our Catalogue, visit your neighbors and solicit their orders. Rest assured we will faithfully do our part, and we will watch with interest your progress toward securing the best of the prizes. With best wishes for your success, we are,

Respectfully,

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PEARS.

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GENERAL LIST OF PEARS—PRICES:

By Express Only.

	Each.	Doz.
Large trees, 5 to 7 feet	$0.35	$3.50
Medium size, 4 to 5 feet	.30	3.00

NOTE.—Varieties followed by (d) can be supplied in Dwarfs as well as Standards. Prices are as above. By express or freight only; too large for mailing.

SUMMER.

Bartlett (d)—Large, clear yellow; juicy, buttery, excellent; thrifty, young, heavy and regular bearer.

Clapp's Favorite (d)—Large, delicious; good grower; productive.

Lawson (d)—(Comet.) Crimson on a bright yellow ground; crisp, juicy, pleasant; a good keeper and shipper. The largest early Pear; profitable and reliable.

Wilder (d)—Medium size, yellow; one of the best early varieties.

AUTUMN.

Duchess d'Angouleme (d)—Extremely large, dull-greenish yellow; juicy, buttery, very good.

Flemish Beauty (d)—Large obovate; pale yellow, much russeted; rich, melting; vigorous, productive.

Idaho—Very large; roundish obovate; greenish yellow, with russety spots; flesh melting, juicy, flavor rich, sprightly, vinous.

Kieffer—Large, showy, rich, golden yellow, dotted thickly, shaded red; quality fair to good, juicy, firm. Price, 5c additional to above prices.

Seckel (d)—Small, yellowish russet, with cinnamon-red cheek; flesh very fine-grained; sugary, rich, juicy.

Tyson—Medium size; bright yellow, cheek shaded with reddish-brown; buttery; very sweet and delicious.

GOOSEBERRIES.

Industry—The popular English variety; excellent quality; very large. Price, 15c each; $1.50 per dozen.

Red Jacket—Best new American sort; does not mildew; excellent quality. Price, 15c each; $1.50 per doz.

Downing—Very popular; large, pale green. Price, 15c each; $1.50 per dozen.

Houghton—Well-known red variety. Price, 10c each; $1.00 per dozen.

KOONCE PEAR.

Tree is a very vigorous grower, free from blight, hardy and productive; fruit medium to large; skin yellow, with a very handsome blush; does not rot at the core, like many of the other early sorts. Ripens two weeks earlier than Harvest Belle. For fruit growers, both in the North and South, this should prove very valuable. Its vigorous growth, with heavy foliage, should enable it to endure a hot climate, while its late blooming and hardiness of bud will insure for it abundant crops, despite frosts. It is so hardy that it will stand the rigor of Northern winters, and being so early in season, will come into the market and bring the highest price. **Price, first-class, 40c each, $4 per dozen; medium, 30c each, $3 per dozen.**

VERMONT BEAUTY PEAR.

It is very hardy. The growth is vigorous, the leaves free from blight; it is an annual and abundant bearer. In quality the fruit approaches nearer that most delicious Pear, the Seckel, than any other Pear on the market. It is full-medium size, yellow, covered on the sunny side with bright crimson red; flesh melting, rich, juicy, aromatic. Ripening with and after Seckel, though much larger in size and more attractive in appearance, it cannot fail to prove a general favorite and very valuable. **Price, first-class, 40c each, $4 per dozen; medium, 30c each, $3 per dozen.**

ROSSNEY.

A new and excellent Pear, raised from seed at Salt Lake City, Utah. In size medium to large; very fine grained, flesh melting, juicy, very sweet. Ripens two weeks after Bartlett; it is an excellent keeper and shipper, with tree much stronger than Keiffer. Specimens of this new variety were received by us from the originator last year, and we were very much impressed with its beautiful and attractive appearance, excellent quality and size; in general appearance it somewhat resembles Bartlett, but is more round. It is very seldom you can find a single variety combining so many rare qualities as this does, and we have great pleasure in offering it as the best Pear on the market at the present time. **Price, first-class, 50c each; second-class, 40c each.**

CHERRIES.

PRICES:

(By Express Only.)	Each.	Doz.
Large Trees	$0.35	$3.50
Medium Trees	.30	3.00

Black Tartarian—Standard black sort. June.

Dyehouse—Early and sure bearer; ripens before Early Richmond; better and more productive.

Empress Eugenie—Large, dark red, juicy, rich. July.

Early Richmond—Dark red, melting, juicy. One of the most valuable. June.

English Morello—Blackish-red, rich, juicy, acid. August.

Gov. Wood—Light red, juicy. June.

Louis Philippe—Large, dark red, almost black; sprightly, mild acid; stone small. July.

May Duke—Dark red, rich. June.

Montmorency—Large red, acid. June.

Windsor—Flesh is remarkably firm and of the finest quality; very large, nearly black, sells at highest prices in market; late.

Yellow Spanish—Pale yellow and red, firm, juicy, productive. June.

QUINCES.

Price, first-class, 2 years, 30c each, $3.00 per dozen. By express only.

Meech's Prolific—Good grower, productive, bears young, fruit large, yellow, showy; good for cooking.

Orange—Large, roundish, bright golden-yellow; cooks tender, and is of excellent flavor; very productive; the most popular and extensively cultivated variety. October.

Champion—Originated in Connecticut. A prolific and constant bearer; fruit larger than the Orange, more oval, as good, and a longer keeper. October and November.

STRAWBERRIES.

NOTE.—The blossoms of these marked with (p) are destitute of stamens and are termed pistilate, and unless a row of perfect flowering variety is planted at intervals not exceeding about a rod, they will produce imperfect fruit, and but little of it; but when properly fertilized, as a rule, they are more prolific than those with perfect flowers.

NEW YORK (PER.)

This big fellow was named "New York," in honor of the State in which it originated. Growth of plant is very large and stocky, equaling in this respect the very largest. Season medium, color dark scarlet changing to crimson when fully ripe. Colors all over at once, no white or green tips. The New York is a seedling of Bubach No. 5, fertilized with Jessie, and is one of the best varieties for hill culture. **Price, 25c per dozen, postpaid. By express, $1.00 per 100.**

NEW STRAWBERRY—"REPEATER" (PER.)

Two crops produced in one season. (Description by P. Henderson.)

For several seasons past our attention has been called to a Strawberry which made its appearance in market in September. Investigation showed that the fruit was picked in the open field from the same plants that produced a bounteous crop in June. The fruit is very large when well grown, a glossy crimson, delicious flavor, and a great point in its favor is that it is very easily hulled. It is a perfect blossomed variety, medium to date. **Price, 50c per dozen, postpaid. By express, $2.00 per 100.**

UNCLE JIM (PER.)

A new variety from Michigan, which comes highly recommended from all who have tested it. We feel sure you will make no mistake by planting largely of this new variety. **Price, 50c per dozen, postpaid. By express, $1.50 per 100.**

OTHER NEW VARIETIES.

Price, 50c per dozen, by mail, postpaid; $1.50 per 100 by express. If wanted by mail, add 20c per 100 for postage.

Kansas, Sunshine, Marie, Rough Rider, Lyon, Sample, Senator Dunlap.

RASPBERRIES.

VALUABLE NEW SORTS.

Price, 10c each, $1.00 per dozen, postpaid; $3.00 per 100, by express.

New Cardinal (Red), Munger (Black), Haymaker (Purple), King (Red), Cumberland (Black), Lotta (Black), Golden Queen (Yellow).

STANDARD VARIETIES.

If wanted by mail, add 40c per 100 for postage; dozen postpaid. Price, 5c each, 50c per dozen, $1.50 per 100.

Kansas (Black),	London (Red),	Eureka (Black),
Gregg (Black),	Miller (Red),	Cuthbert (Red),
Shaffer Col (Purple),	Older (Black),	Palmer (Black),
Columbian (Purple),		

BLACKBERRIES.

If Wanted by Mail, Add 40c per Hundred for Postage. By the Dozen, Postage Paid.

	Doz.	100.		Doz.	100.
Ancient Briton	$0.50	$1.50	Rathburn	$1.00	$6.00
Eldorado	.50	2.50	Snyder	.50	1.50
Iceberg	1.00	6.00	Taylor's Prolific	.50	1.50
Kittatinny	.50	1.50	Wilson, Jr.	.50	1.50
Mersereau	1.00	5.00	Wilson's Early	.50	1.50
Ohmer	.75	3.00	Wauchusetts	.75	3.00

CURRANTS.

NEW VARIETIES—Red Cross, and Wilder.

Price, 15c each; $1.50 per dozen, postpaid.

OTHER VALUABLE VARIETIES.

Price, 10c each; $1.00 per dozen, postpaid; $6.00 per 100. If wanted by mail, add 40c per 100 for postage.

Cherry,	Red Dutch,	White Grape,
Fay's Prolific,	Victoria,	North Star.

RHUBARB or PIE PLANT.

LINNAEUS.

Large, early, tender and fine. The very best of all. **Price, 15c each; eight for $1.00.**

QUEEN.

Strong, vigorous grower, producing extra large stalks of finest quality, of a decided pink color. For canning or cooking in any way in quality is unsurpassed. **Price, 15c each; eight for $1.**

GENERAL LIST OF VARIETIES.

Price, by mail, 25c per dozen; by express, 75c per 100.

Beder Wood,	Brandywine,	Bubach (p),
Bismark,	Clyde,	Excelsior,
Cumberland,	Dayton,	Crescent (p),
Greenville (p),	Gandy,	Glen Mary,
Haverland (p),	Jessie,	Lovett,
Mitchell,	Michigan,	Marshall,
N. Ohmer.		

GRAPES.

(By Mail, Postpaid.)	Each.	Doz.
McPike (new)	$0.50	$5 00
Campbell's Early (new)	.25	2.50

STANDARD VARIETIES.

15c each; $1.50 per dozen.

Brighton,	Early Ohio,	Pocklington,
Catawba,	Ives,	Vergennes,
Champion,	Moore's Diamond,	Worden,
Concord,	Moore's Early,	Wyoming Red.
Delaware,	Niagara,	

ASPARAGUS.

Price, 50c dozen, by mail; $1.25 per 100, by express.

DONALD'S ELMIRA.

This fine new variety produces thick, green stalks of the finest quality, and has recently become very popular. It is also called Vick's Mammoth. This is undoubtedly the largest and best Asparagus grown. In size, color and yield it far surpasses any other variety in cultivation, while we find it to be less susceptible to disease than any other. No one should fail to try this valuable variety.

PALMETTO.

A valuable new variety, and is being planted very largely. It is nearly twice the size of Conover, fully as early and as productive. The flavor is excellent.

BARR'S MAMMOTH.

A variety that comes highly praised. Said to be much more productive than Conover's Colossal.

CONOVER'S COLOSSAL.

The old standard and popular variety, a good producer, of large, quick growth, and superb in quality.

COLUMBIAN MAMMOTH WHITE.

A distinct variety of mammoth size, great yield and superior quality; remarkable for the clear whiteness of its stalks, which retain their purity of color until several inches above the surface.

HORSERADISH.

Sets. **Price, per dozen, 25c; 100 for 80c.**

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